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Best Of Prep Debaters Convene

Thirty-five High School Squads Enter Congress

United States, Britain Alliance To Be Argued

All is not quiet and peaceful on the secluded campus of Saint Mary's College.

In the wake of a week of tranquility there descended upon the school this morning a horde of 35 leading debate squads from Catholic high schools throughout the state, who at once aligned themselves to affirm or disprove that "The United States Should Establish An Alliance with Great Britain."

Meeting in their second annual session of the Catholic High School Debate Congress, the visitors were welcomed by Brother Albert, president of the college, in a short address which expressed the good wishes of the college and extended to the debators every privilege the college might afford.

Franey Presides

The meeting was presided over by John Franey, general chairman of the congress, who also introduced William G. Simon, varsity debate moderator and instructor in the department of public speaking.

The debates, which began at 9 o'clock, are being argued in de la Salle lounge and the reception rooms of the administration building throughout the day and the finals of the tournament are scheduled for 2:45 this afternoon in de la Salle lounge.

Luncheon for the visiting faculty members will be served in the faculty dining room at 12:30 whie the Sisters will be guests of Brother Albert in the President's dining room. A buffet luncheon will be served the debators in the student dining hall.

Brother Leo

Brother Leo will address the final assembly at 3:40 in de la Salle lounge following the debate finals. Franey will again preside over the meeting and will present Mr. Simon who will award the trophies to the winning contestants.

On Saturday the two winning teams will be guests of the college at Saint

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Prominent Clergy Head Padre Day

Commemorate Graduates Who Entered Priesthood

Very Reverend James P. Towey, Superior of the Paulist Father of the Pacific Coast, pastor of Old Saint Mary's Church of San Francisco, and 1902 graduate of Saint Mary's College, will be the celebrant of the Padre Day Mass which will be offered in the college chapel Tuesday, April 25.

To commemorate the Saint Mary's Graduates who have been ordained priests and to honor the clergy of the Archdiocese for their generosity and goodwill in behalf of the college, Saint Mary's is assuming the duties of host and is arranging a program of academic and athletic events for the day.

Deacon Named

Deacon for the solem Mass of Padre Day is Reverend James Rohan '19, assistant pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Oakland, and member of Saint Mary's Board of Athletic Control. Sub-deacon is Reverend Joseph Coakley, assistant pastor of Saint Joseph's Church in San Francisco and chaplain of the Saint Mary's Alumni Association. Also assisting at the mass will be the members of the student body sanctuary society, directed by Harry Hooper.

Right Reverend Monsignor Joseph M. Gleason, pastor of Saint Francis de Sales Church, Oakland, and Vicar General of the Army and Navy chaplains of the Pacific coast and Pacific Insular Possessions, is the speaker of the day and will address the visiting Padres in de la Salle lounge at the informal reception at noon.

Master of Ceremonies

Father Joseph I. Manning, student chaplain of Saint Mary's College, will preside as master of ceremonies for the program of the day and will introduce the speakers to the afternoon assembly and present the academic activities and athletic events of the affair.

In the past year two Saint Mary's graduates have been ordained priests in the San Francisco Diocese and the college now has contributed more than 50 men to the priesthood who carry on the spiritual work of the Church throughout the world, Father Manning indicated.

Seniors Sway To Sweet Swing Saturday At Aquatic Casino

Hope for a successful Senior Ball is virtually assured for the fourth year men tomorrow night as more than one hundred couples will make the trek over to the new Aquatic Park clubhouse in San Francisco for the annual Senior Ball, announced Kenneth Hardy, chairman of the affair.

The dance will mark the beginning of the end for the class of '39.

Furnishing music for the Gael dancers and their feminine partners will be Paul Martin's far-famed KGO-National Broadcasting Company archestra. With his orchestra Martin will have "Radio's Pacific Coast Sweetheart," Miss Dorothy Allen, who will do most of the vocal chores for the maestro. In addition, Martin will have the "Three Cheers," his male trio to take care of some of the work.

Three Styles

Martin's band plays three distinct styles of dance music: sweet swing, the waltz and tantalizing rhumbas. "Martin plays to please," according to Hardy.

The site of the dance is the beautiful marine ball-room of the $2,000,000 Aquatic Park Casino, which is located at the foot of Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco. The Casino was just recently finished; being seven years in construction.

No Corsages

Price of bids will be $2.50 and the dance will be formal. As usual, corsages will be banned.

Many members of the Alumni Association, especially recent graduates, have signified their intention of being present and many requests for bids have been received by mail.

Open House Finds Visiting Seniors Touring Campus

Strolling through the patios, along the corridors, of the administration building, visiting debates in the lounge and reception rooms, senior men students from Catholic high schools throughout the state are today enjoying the hospitality of Saint Mary's Senior Open House Day.

The guests were welcomed this morning by Brother Albert, president of the college, and were invited to attend the athletic events scheduled for them and to view the student life on the campus.

During the day Saint Mary's men who are graduates of the visiting schools will act as host committees and conduct tours around the campus. The visitors will form the audience for several of the debates of the Debate Congress which is also meeting here today. The guests will join the high school debaters at a luncheon served in the student dining hall at 12:30.

This afternoon the seniors will join members of the famed Galloping Gaels in numerous athletic contests on the field and in the swimming pool. Exhibitions and other amusements have been provided for their entertainment. The guests of the Senior Open House are also invited to attend Saint Mary's

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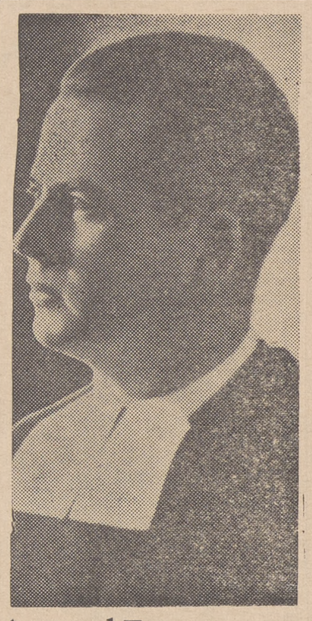

Annual Event

Brother Albert, president of the college, who will address the entire studnt body at a luncheon on President's Day.

Maurice Harrison Named President's Day Speaker

Maurice E. Harrison, who holds an honorary degree of doctor of laws from Saint Mary's college and who was commencement speaker in 1937, will be the principal speaker at the president's day luncheon for the student body on April 26, according to Brother Albert, president of the college. Mr. Harrison's topic will be the Constitution of the United States. Harrison is a member of the United States Constitution Sesquicentennial commission.

A well known California attorney, Harrison is a former president of the San Francisco chapter of the Pan-American society and formerly was dean of Hastings College of the Law.

Although president's day is an annual event which was inaugurated by Brother Albert during his first term as president of the college, it was not held last year because of the press of other activities. This year it will be observed with a luncheon in the dining hall, to which all the students, resident and non-resident, are invited.

Brother Albert announced that due to the short time left in the semester, and to the number of holidays and interruptions which have already taken many days from the school calendar, the day would not be a holiday as in the past.

In addition to Mr. Harrison's address, Brother Albert will also speak to the students and faculty who will gather in De la Salle dining hall to observe the fourth president's day.

Hundreds Expected For Press Conclave On April 29

Woman Journalist Will Speak at Convention Here

There's nothing like learning about journalism from those actively engaged in the newspaper profession.

With that thought in mind, hundreds of journalistically inclined boys and girls from points scattered throughout the state will convene here for the seventh annual press convention Saturday, April 29.

Visiting prep students will hear authoritative talks by some of the Bay Area's leading newspapermen and women, including Carl Hoffman, publisher of the Oakland Post-Enquirer; Al Santoro, veteran sports editor of the same publication, and Miss Janice Fulton, assistant club-editor of the San Francisco Chronicle.

Stanford Graduate

Miss Fulton, described by Thomas Foudy, who contacted her, as "a very charming newspaperwoman," is a recent Stanford graduate, and was formerly connected with the Sacramento Bee. With the Chronicle for the past year, she authors a Sunday feature entitled "Presenting the Women."

The complete program for the day was announced yesterday by Havelock Hunter, head of the journalism department.

Beginning at 9 o'clock with the Mass celebrated in the college chapel by Father Joseph I. Manning, Saint Mary's student body chaplain, the program will continue through the morning and afternoon sessions with examinations, special sessions, exhibits, and seminars.

General assembly will be called in the De la Salle lounge for 9:30 and will be presided over by Brother Virgil, moderator of publications.

Examinations

For senior men students competitive examinations for two two-year scholarships will be given in Dante Hall from 9:30 to 10:30. During the examinations the women will hold a special session and hear talks on the "Women's Angle in the News" by Miss Fulton.

At 11 o'clock the convention presents a number of special speakers, including men from the Saint Mary's Ad Club and members of the journalism department here.

Following the luncheon the two guest speakers of the day, Hoffman and Santoro, will be introduced to the group and will give their views of modern journalism as seen from an editor's desk.

Seminars

Seminars beginning at 1:30 will include round table discussions in news, feature, and sports writing, presided

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Five Candidates Throw Hats Into Presidential Ring at Assembly

Five men tossed their hats into the presidential election ring at the student body meeting held yesterday.

Peter LoBianco, Gael editor, was nominated by Wally Gerard. Herschel Smyth, former president of the Knights of Columbus, was put up by Joseph McGrath. John Franey was proposed by Ralph Jack as the logical man for the post. Tom Feeney, Gael basketball star, was nominated by Joe Hurley and Al Lingua, Phoenix catcher, was cited by August Caspar as the man for the job.

Before the meeting actually started, John Williams, senior student, proposed that some sort of a system be installed to have primary elections because, he pointed out, if five men ran, a total of sixty-five votes would put a candidate into office.

It was revealed by John Sullivan, who presided at the meeting, that to have primaries would necessitate adding an amendment to the constitution of the student body.

Another thing of vital importance which was brought up at the meeting after being almost overlooked entirely because of the flowery speeches of the nominators of candidates was the proposed amendment to give the president the power to veto legislation enacted by the Ex-council.

This measure, which was put on the ballot to be voted at the coming election, provides that the president of the student body be empowered to veto any legislation proposed by the council and that the council may over-ride the presidential veto by a three-fourths majority.

Joseph Crosby, who introduced the proposition, stated that it was vitally necessary for someone to have the power to check the ex-council, but Alvin Quittman took a firm stand against the proposed amendment and stated that if such a bill was enacted, that the president of the student body could—by controlling 4 votes—run the school almost single handed.

During the meeting nominations for the other offices were also made. Running for student body vice-president are three men. Daniel Spillane, day student from Oakland; Norman "Scotty" MacPhail, resident student and treasurer of the ASSMC, and Bill Spehar, another popular Junior.

The nominees for the post of treasurer are: Herb "Whitey" Smith, Gael gridder; Joe Englert, Sophomore day student from Alameda, and Lavine Bettencourt.

Running for secretary are Kenneth Butler, Jim Butler, and Romolo Brusatti.

Candidates for the one place left on the yell leaders tandem are George McPeake, a junior; Bill MacDonald. Lester Dole, a day student in the sophomore class from Oakland; George Farnham, freshman from San Francisco, and Bill Davie.

Intramural sports manager called forth Andy Franzoia and Timothy Dempsey.

Early in the meeting, C. Wesley Davis of the law school urged the students to attend and support the Saint Mary's day at the Fair tomorrow. Said Davis in part: "It's your school, and regardless of how you feel about the fair, you should come out and give your support to the affair—even if it means a sacrifice of time."

Graduates Return To Campus For 71st Annual Homecoming

HEAVY WEEKEND PUTS EVERYONE ON MOVE BETWEEN FAIR, MORAGA

Gaels to Crowd Others From Treasure Island

All other days since the opening of the Golden Gate International Exposition were of minor importance as far as Saint Mary's College is concerned, for tomorrow will find thousands paying admission to participate in Saint Mary's Day at the Fair.

Docking ferry-boats will discharge students, alumni, faculty members, and friends of the College, while countless more Treasure Island visitors will enter through the automobile gates as the college stages its second Fair day in the history of the institution, the first being in 1894 at the Midwinter Exposition in Golden Gate Park.

Tolling of the eleventh hour will open a day-long program devoted to everything from radio broadcasting to the conducting of educational tours through the vast maze of exhibits.

Debate Winners

Winning forensic squads from the Catholic High School Debate Congress being held today on the campus will start the ball rolling when they restate their arguments in the Conference Room of the Pacific House.

Highlight of the day will be the general assembly of faculty, students, Saint Mary's Club, Alumni, and Ladies' Guild in the Pacific House conference room at 1:30 p.m. Speakers to be heard at this session include Brother Albert, president of the college; J. Giles Miller, president-elect of the Alumni Association; Charles Deasy, Saint Mary's Club president; and Mrs. Frederick T. West, Guild chairman.

Presentation of the Brother Ermenold, Brother Agnon, A.P.G.U., and Department of Forensics trophies will be made to the winners of the Debate Congress at this general assembly.

Educational Tours

Educational tours conducted by faculty members promise to be a popular feature of the full-day program.

Starting at 2 p.m. Brother Cornelius, director of the art department, will give an interpretation of the works on exhibit at the Art building, which represent the best in the world of art. Brother Bede Edward, professor of education, will head a group touring the educational wing in the Science Building. Brother Alfred, Professor Arthur S. Campbell, and Brother Lucian will explain exhibits of special interest in the Science Building. In the Mines and Machinery Building Professor Henry Newson, head of the engineering department will guide guests of the college through the mineral displays. Joseph M. Foran, associate professor of economics, will conduct the tour through the Illinois Building, and Professor Claude T. Silva, of the history department will present the highlights of the Argentine and Brazil exhibits to the visitors.

Radio Programs

Two radio programs emanating from the California auditorium will present Professor James L. Hagerty, head of

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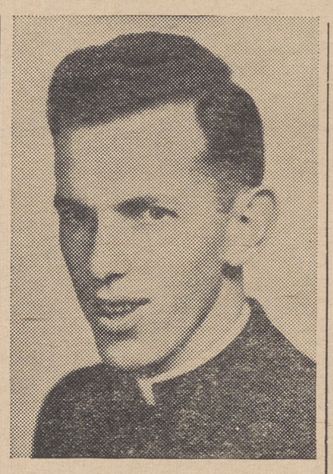
SENIOR WEEK SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 7—Senior Picnic.
Monday, May 8—Opening day of Retreat at El Retiro.
Tuesday, May 9—Retreat.
Wednesday, May 10—Retreat.
Thursday, May 11—
Morning—Retreat closes.
Evening—Alumni dinner.
Friday, May 12—
Day—Catholic Action and Civic Duty.
Evening—Senior exclusive.
Saturday, May 13—Entertainment, Last Round-up.
Sunday, May 14—Commencement.



Celebrates Mass

Reverend Edmund Moss '32, who has been named chaplain of the Alumni Association, and who will celebrate the Homecoming Mass Sunday.

Brother Albert Invites Alumni To Moraga Campus

TO SAINT MARY'S MEN:

I extend to the Alumni everywhere a cordial invitation to be present on the campus for the Annual Homecoming on Sunday, April 23.

Though there is a story about a man who had to travel all over the world before he realized the beauty of his own hills and home, I am not a believer in the old saw which says that absence makes the heart grow fonder. Saint Mary's has been your home in more ways than one, and the members of the faculty and myself have throughout the year looked forward to this day when we might renew your acquaintance. This friendly association will, surely, not be the least pleasant reminiscence of a joyous occasion.

Your committee on Homecoming has seen to it that the program will be distinctive and varied. Holy Mass, the Educational Hour, the athletic events, the Annual Dinner—these should help you to create again the illusion that it is but another day at the old school; these should provide you with the opportunity of renewing your youth and the ideals of your youth.

Whether you be a grizzled veteran of the '80's, now somewhat weary of the ways of the world, or a buoyant young graduate of the past decade, I urge you to make it your duty to be present next Sunday, to meet old friends and teachers again, . . . in a word, to come home to the kindly embrace of your Alma Mater.

Yours truly,
BROTHER ALBERT,
President of the College.

Suggestions on Practice Teaching Offered Monday

Suggestions on the work of practice teaching will be offered at the meeting of education students next Monday evening at 6:30 in D114. A general review of some of the problems students will face in actual practice teaching will be given at this, the second meeting of the final series of lectures by the Saint Mary's College Teachers' Association.

Before a large group of education students the opening meeting of the final series was conducted last Monday evening in Dante Hall. Details of problems in graduate work at the University of Southern California were discussed, with special stress being placed on the peculiar education course requirements at U.S.C., as well as the problems of major and minor groups. General information about living conditions in the Los Angeles area were also presented. Thomas Twomey, Assistant Recorder, conducted the meeting and the short open forum held after the main talk.

For students unable to attend, information on details of the meeting may be secured from Mr. Twomey.

Rail, Highway Will Bring Old, Young Grads to Moraga

From far and near, by rail and by highway, will come Saint Mary's alumni representing every year from 1873 to 1938 to celebrate the 71st annual Homecoming Day here Sunday.

Old grads will renew fond memories and acquaintances made during their stays at the College on Mission Road, the Brickpile in Oakland, and the "White Academic City" at Moraga.

Oldest living alumnus is Bartley P. Oliver, class of 1873, the first class to graduate from Saint Mary's, the college then being situated in San Francisco.

Education Hour

Feature of the day's program will be an education hour, a forum between representative educators, industrialists, and labor leaders keynoting the college man and labor relations.

Principal speakers during this portion of the day's program will be George Kidwell, director of the Department of Industrial Relations, speaking on "Prospects of Peace in the Labor Movement"; Joseph F. Marias, president of the San Francisco Harbor Commission, "Harbor Management and Labor Relations"; J. Philip Murphy, president of J. Philip Murphy Corporation, "The Employer and Labor Relations"; John J. Shelley, president of the San Francisco Labor Council, "The Employee and Labor Relations," and Paul C. Smith, manager, San Francisco Chronicle, "Mediation in Labor Relations and the College Man."

College Version

The college man's version will be given by Brother Leo, Saint Mary's educator; Timothy J. Canty, of Technical Engineers, Architects and Draftsmen of A. F. of L.; Jack Henning, trustee of the United Federal Workers of America, and Reverend Hugh O. Donohue of Saint Patrick's Seminary.

Under chairmanship of Leo Cunningham, the seminar will highlight the day's activities which include Alumni Mass, Communion, athletic contests and a banquet.

The complete program for Sunday's Homecoming Day follows:

Program Given

9:15 a.m.—Mass and General Communion. Chapel Celebrant, Rev. Edmund Moss '32. Sermon by Rev. James P. Towey, C.S.P. '02.

10:00 a.m.—Breakfast, College Dining Room. Chairman, Louis G. Conlan '26. Addresses of welcome by Brother Albert, President of the College, and John Sullivan, President of the Student Body.

10:30 a.m.—Softball Game, Quad in front of Chapel. Chairman, Charles Scheflin '32. Open to alumni members only.

11:00 a.m.—Educational Hour, Room 201 Dante Hall. Chairman, Leo A. Cunningham '18.

12:30 p.m.—Football Exhibition, Agnon Field. Chairman, J. Philip Murphy '29. Punting Contest—James M. Smith '10 Trophy. Passing Contest—William J. Fitzgerald '05 Trophy.

1:45 p.m.—Basketball Game, Madigan Gymnasium. Chairman, William Rockwell '37. Open to alumni members only.

2:30 p.m.—Baseball Game, Phoenix Field. St. Mary's Varsity vs. Union Oil Company.

5:00 p.m.—General Alumni Meeting, Room 201 Dante Hall. Vice-President J. Giles Miller '18 presiding.

6:00 p.m.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament—Chapel.

6:30 p.m.—Dinner, College Dining Room. Edward Cone '32, Toastmaster. Edwin Regan '28, representing recent graduates. Gerald Brusher '13, representing "Old Timers." Brother Z. Leo, representing faculty.

GAEL GOSSIP

By LEO HAGGERTY
Collegian Sports Editor

Stanford's baseball team can do Saint Mary's a great favor next week by taking the series from Sam Barry's Trojans at Los Angeles. If the Cards win two, Earl Sheely's nine will be tied with USC.

The Phoenix had their chance at the title last week down south when they whipped Troy in the first tilt, but came back the next day and dropped a 4-3 decision.

Gone From Us

Death as it must come to all men, came last week to Ralston "Rusty" Gill, great football player who starred on the gridiron for California.

Gael fans will remember Gill in 1931 when before 80,000 throats ripped to shreds a favored USC eleven. Gill was truly a great player; probably the toughest guy to step on to the gridiron.

Good Exhibition

Thursday afternoon, in the campus pool hall, Charles Peterson, billiard expert, gave a lengthy exhibition on how billiards should be played.

Peterson spent some time after his lecture-exhibition, giving personal in-

Charles Peterson

struction to novices, a custom he inaugurated years ago while on tour with other billiard champions. His personal interest in all billiard enthusiasts and his uncanny ability to teach the game quickly has given him more "star" pupils than any other half dozen billiard masters and his "alumni" include thousands of women who play the game often and well.

According to Peterson, if you know mathematics, you can play a good game of billiards. Using his cue for his pencil and the billiard table for his notebook, he demonstrated practical application of geometric functions and showed, too, by simple arithmetic that any player can make the ball go where he pleases.

The best shot during the performance was his "silver dollar" shot. Peterson shot the dollar through two pieces of chalk with the coin going the full length of the table.

Back to School

Sunday is Homecoming Day, and around the Gael campus you will see old faces that played on the field of battle for the Red and Blue.

Around Saint Mary's will walk once again stars of every sport. Some of these men are still playing their popular sport, while others have turned to a designed profession.

Yes, indeed, the Mother of Men will again reach out and grab her men.

Please Note . . .

In this column a few weeks ago we printed that the last series won from the California Bears was in 1932. From a couple of diamond critics, we found out that the last series won by the Phoenix was in 1936. At that time the Gaels took three straight from the Bears.

Did You Know

That Slip Madigan attended the Roper-Louis fiight at Los Angeles last Monday night . . . That the Saint Mary's tennis team won two straight games, the first time in two years.

BOWL TROPHY ON DISPLAY AT FAIR

The Cotton Bowl trophy won by Saint Mary's College will be displayed in the Contra Costa County Building at the Golden Gate International Exposition, in conjunction with Saint Mary's Day at the Fair.

Serving as a background for the trophy won against Texas Tech on January 2, will be monogramed players' blankets, along with a picture of the entire football team. Campus pictures, obtained through the courtesy of the Shell Oil Company, will also be displayed.

PETE SPILY HURLS WIN

Pete Spily, former Saint Mary's football player, at the present time is pitching for the Ogden club of the Pioneer league.

Spily last Sunday hurled his team to an easy win over the Pacific Greyhound bus boys.

More Baseball

Saint Mary's Lose Series To Trojans

After upsetting Jack Brewer and his USC mates, 7-1, last Friday afternoon at Wrigley field in Los Angeles, the Phoenix the following day moved over to the Southern California campus and dropped a 4-3 extra-inning thriller to Troy, thus losing the annual series, 2-1, to the Trojans.

Earl Sheely's team in the opener scored one in the first, two in the third, a couple in the fourth, and another pair in the ninth. Jack Hanson doubled and scored on Ken Holly's single in the seventh for Troy's lone marker.

Emmett O'Neill pitched the greatest game of his career, twice retiring the side in 1-2-3 order. He fanned 13 and walked four; Brewer whiffed eight and passed four to the first bag. The Phoenix touched Brewer for 12 hits, while O'Neill allowed only three.

Murphy Grabs 2 for 4

Captain Bill Murphy hit three for four; Ken Sanders, two for four, and Ray (Choo-choo) Tran, two for five, to top the local batters.

In the first inning, Kenny Butler singled and scored on Bill Wright's double. It was Butler again in the third who whacked out a one-bagger and registered on Tran's single. The other run in the third was tallied by Murphy who scored on Sanders' single. In the fourth O'Neill and Butler came home on Murphy's sizzling double.

Tran, Murphy Score

Tran and Murphy scored in the ninth on a pair of errors. The second game is another story. Earl Johnson was nicked for 11 hits while Bob Winslow of USC was touched for a similar number.

Troy scored in the first. Frank Koski singled and scored on Roy Engle's one-bagger. Saint Mary's went into a 2-1 lead in the fourth. Murphy and Wright hit singles. Murphy scored on Sinnott's one-bagger, while Wright tallied on Sander's fly to left.

The Phoenix made it 3-1 in the sixth when Murphy again singled and came home on Sander's two-bagger. Troy pulled up in the seventh, Koski singling and scoring on Red Ramsey's one-base blow. In the eighth, USC knotted the score at 3-3. Lambert singled and romped home on Koski's lone base hit.

In the last of the tenth, Murdock flew out to Tran, Winsloy walked, Koski singled. Here Greenlaw relieved Johnson, pitched to Lilly, who popped out to Greenlaw. Trying for a double play Greenlaw threw a little too high to Wright at first and Winslow came home with the winning run.

Following are the box scores:

First Game

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Koski, lf	4	0	0	Butler, 2b	4	1	3
Lilly, 2b	3	0	4	Tran, ss	5	2	3
Hanson, ss	2	1	5	Murphy, cf	4	3	0
Ramsey, cf	3	0	2	Wright, 1b	5	2	0
Engle, c	4	0	3	Sinnott, 3b	4	1	0
Holley, 3b	4	1	1	Sanders, lf	4	2	0
Murdock, p	3	0	0	Gonella, rf	4	1	0
Lambert, rf	1	1	0	Cardoza, c	4	1	0
Brewer, p	3	0	0	O'Neill, p	3	0	1
Evans, rf	2	0	0				
Totals	29	3	15	Totals	37	13	7

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Errors—Sinnott, Hanson, Engle 2. Credit victory to O'Neill. Charge defeat to Brewer. Strikeouts—By O'Neill 13, Brewer 9. Bases on balls—Off O'Neill 4, Brewer 4. Stolen bases—Butler, Murphy. Three-base hit—Hanson. Two-base hits—Tran, Murphy, Wright. Runs batted in—Wright, Sanders 2, Murphy 3, Sinnott, Holley. Double plays—Butler to Tran to Wright, O'Neill to Butler to Wright, Hanson to Lilly to Murdock. Left on bases—Saint Mary's 7, Southern California 4.

Second Game

SAINT MARY'S	AB	H	A	SO. CALIF.	AB	H	A
Butler, 2b	5	2	3	Koski, lf	5	5	0
Tran, ss	5	0	3	Lilly, 2b	5	2	4
Murphy, cf	5	2	0	Hanson, ss	3	0	6
Wright, 1b	4	2	1	Ramsey, cf	5	2	0
Sinnott, 3b	5	1	1	Engle, c	5	3	1
Sanders, lf	4	1	0	Holley, 3b	3	0	2
Gonella, rf	4	0	0	Lambert, rf	5	1	0
Cardoza, c	4	1	1	Murdock, 1b	5	0	0
Johnson, p	4	2	1	Winslow, p	3	0	2
Greenlaw, p	0	0	0				
Totals	40	11	10	Totals	39	13	15

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Hits ..... 101 312 102 0—11
USC ..... 100 000 110 1— 4
Hits ..... 200 110 431 1—13

Runs—Murphy 2, Wright; Koski 2, Lambert, Winslow. Errors—Einnott, Carfdoza, Greenlaw; Lilly 2, Holley. Wild pitch—Johnson.

	IP	AB	H	R	RRF	SO	BB
Johnson	7 1-3	38	13	3		10	7
Greenlaw	1-3	1		1			
Winslow							1

Stolen bases—Koski, Lambert. Two-base hits—Wright, Sanders, Koski, Lilly, Engle 2. Sacrifice hit—Hanson. Runs batted in—Sinnott 2, Sanders, Ramsey, Hanson, Koski. Double plays—Lilly to Hanson to Murdock.

Coming Back to Moraga

Herb Schreiber, former Saint Mary's football player, will be on the campus Sunday, because that is Homecoming Day when old friends get together.

Netsters Win Again

FACE SAN FRANCISCO TEAM TODAY

The Gael netsters continued their newly acquired winning ways by defeating the Santa Clara Broncos 5-3 in a match played on the local courts last Friday afternoon.

The match was typical of all Gael-Bronco encounters and the entire match depended upon the doubles tilt between Bob Sullivan and Charles Boyer of Santa Clara and the Moragan undefeated doubles team of Harry Hooper and Bill Davie. Trailing 3-0 in the third and deciding set they put on the steam to win 6-1, 4-6, 6-4.

Weber Wins

Walt Weber, playing No. 3, continued undefeated by downing Sullivan 6-3, 6-1 and teamed with George McPeake to trounce Bill Hurlbuth and Joe Fretz 6-0, 6-1.

Playing Nos. 5 and 6 for the Moragans Horway Witteman and George McPeake scored the two other wins for the Gaels. Witteman defeated Boyer 7-5, 6-4. McPeake routed Fretz 6-1, 6-1.

Tom McGowan playing No. 1 lost to Ken Leake 6-0, 6-0. Harry Hooper lost a hotly contested singles battle to Bob Eyrond 4-6, 7-5, 6-4. The third Gael loss was suffered by the doubles combination of Witteman and McGowan who lost to Leake and Eyrond 4-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Meet USF

Today across the bay in the Palace of Fine Arts the tennisters take on the San Francisco Dons. The Daviemen hope to gain revenge for a 7-2 beating administered them earlier in the season.

Former Atheletes Return

GOOD TIMES WILL BE RECALLED ON HOMECOMING

By Tim Dempsey

Can you imagine several million dollars of football, baseball and basketball material all under the single sweep of your eyes? Well, there is such a chance, and that is on the forthcoming Homecoming Day, when all the greats of the Saint Mary's sport world return to swap stories and friendships with both graduates and faculty alike. For at Homecoming they relieve their lives that have brought joy, sorrow, tears, laughter, envy, anger and pride, all in the space of few years, since their graduation from Saint Mary's.

But we know that the greatest joy when they all meet on the campus in reminiscing over the days when they were in attendance at Saint Mary's—stories of the hair-breadth football games, the winning pitch, and the basket that won the game in the last minute.

Many Great Stars

In looking back over the years Saint Mary's has witnessed some great football by such stars as Angel Brovelli, Al Nichelini, Bud Toscani, Hugh Sill, Red Strader, Mal Fiese, Bill Fischer, the Jorgenson's, the Canrinus's and dozens of others. These fellows have taken Saint ideal of football a long ways, both in and out of college, and put Saint Mary's where it is today—one of the leading teams in the country. They'll all be here and probably will be telling of the time when the little referee was bawling out of the gargantuan Saint Mary's tackle. The referee's finger almost reached the tackle's mid-section. An equally big Gael fullback picked the little ref up and put him smack in front of the tackle. "Now tongue," said the fullback, "shake your finger in his face, maybe it will do some good."

Players Good

The baseball players, too, have added greatly to the color and supremacy of baseball at Saint Mary's. They will relate, in the older alumni circles, the tales of the time when Saint Mary's had seven players in a World Series, but most of all about the fun had while trying to win pennants for the old Alma Mater. They will rememlber the time when Goofy, Phoenix center fielder, who could hit, swallowed his tobacco, got sick and had to call time out. That couldn't happen to anybody but him. They remember the time when the

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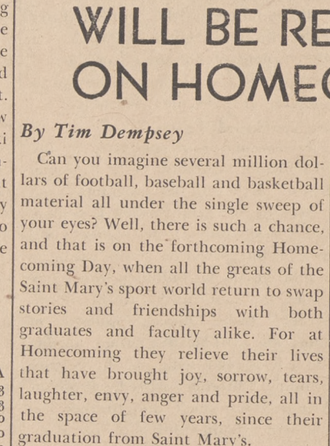

Departing Hurler

Bud Merrill, varsity baseball player, played his final season with the Phoenix, winning four conference games and losing none.—Oakland Tribune photo.

MANY GAELS SENT UP TO MAJORS

In the history of baseball at Saint Mary's, the Phoenix has sent thirty-three players to the major leagues.

At the present time, the only baseballer from the Gael campus playing in the "big top" is Joe Marty, centerfielder for the Chicago Cubs of the National League.

Following are some graduates who went up:

Walter Mails, Louie Guisto, Joe Corbett, Duffy Lewis, Eddie Burns, Tom Fitzsimmons, Andy Harrington, Eddie Hallinan, George McDermott, Frank Kelleher, Larry Bettencourt, Mike Cann, and Luke Glavinich.

Mal Fiese Releases Grid Schedule

Gaelets Matched In Two Night Games

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Two Friday, April 21, 1939

EIGHT TILTS LISTED FOR THIS SEASON

The tentative freshman football schedule for 1939 was released this morning by the athletic office. It includes six scheduled games with two open dates. The most prominent game in the eyes of the future Gaelets is the contest with Loyola which is to be played at Los Angeles.

Coach Mal Fiese plans to fill the open dates as soon as possible, especially the game before USF in order to round his men into shape before tackling the ever powerful Don first year men.

Traditional Rivals

The schedule, as formidable as ever has been offered for the freshman in that it contains practically all the traditional rivals of their big brothers, namely USF, Santa Clara and Loyola.

This is the first year that the freshmen have been matched against the Marysville Junior College, which is coached by Carl Jorgensen, ex-Gael, and is incidently playing their second year of football competition, the team having been organized only a year ago.

San Jose is expected to be one of the strongest teams on the roster because of the drawing power of their revamped varsity and freshman coaching staff. Sacramento Athletic Club is considered to be the dark horse on the schedule.

Night Games

Continuing the practice of playing several night games, the freshman will meet under the lights when they play the University of San Francisco and Loyola respectively.

The schedule follows:

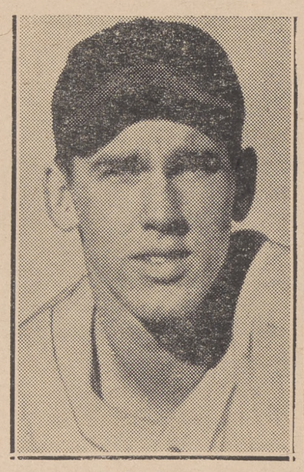
September 22	Open
September 30	USF
October 8	Open
October 15	Sacramento Athletic Club
October 20	San Jose
October 29	Loyola
November 4	Santa Clara
November 11	Marysville Junior College

Earl Johnson Wins Honors

AL LINGUA IN SECOND PLACE

Earl Johnson, sophomore hurler, won hitting honors for the Saint Mary's Phoenix, according to the official statistics released yesterday by Manager Bud Latuda.

Johnson is in first place with .462, getting seven hits out of 15 trips to the plate. Johnson last week was leading his teammates with .500.



Earl Johnson

Lingua in Second

In second position is Al Lingua, catcher, with .368, which is the same average recorded by him in the last standings printed.

Dropping from second to third is Ken Butler, second baseman, who has registered .350. Seven Phoenix are hitting over .300.

The complete Phoenix statistics for the 15 conference games follow:

	AB	H	Pct.
Johnson, p	15	7	.462
Lingua, c	43	16	.368
Butler, 2b	70	25	.350
Sanders, lf	37	12	.324
Wright, 1b	63	20	.320
Tran, ss	68	20	.300
Sinnott, 3b	50	15	.300
Murphy, cf	71	20	.280
Gonella, rf	39	10	.250
Peterson, rf	30	7	.231
Vogelsang, 3b	9	2	.222
Cardoza, c	37	8	.216
Greenlaw, p	12	2	.166
O'Neill, p	13	2	.152
Merrill, p	17	2	.118
Burns, 3b	6	0	.000

Standings

USC Cinch For Conference Championship

Team	W	L	Pct	RS	RO
Southern Calif.	10	2	.833	91	74
Saint Mary's	11	4	.733	88	33
California	8	6	.571	97	89
Stanford	4	5	.444	60	39
UCLA	3	9	.250	61	113
Santa Clara	2	13	.135	91	155

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Stanford 9, UCLA 2.
California 10, UCLA 3.
Stanford 9, California 3.
Saint Mary's 7, USC 1.
USC 4, Saint Mary's 3.
UCLA 5, Saint Mary's 4.
Saint Mary's 14, UCLA 0.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Stanford at California on Saturday.
Stanford at USC on Monday.
Stanford at UCLA on Tuesday.
Stanford at USC on Wednesday.
Stanford at UCLA on Thursday.

Golf News

Saints Win By Forfeit

Another victory was chalked up by the golf team this week when Santa Clara failed to appear, Saturday, April 15, at the Tilden Park, Berkeley, course, and the Gaels won by forfeit.

The Moragans had previously won a meet from the University of San Francisco the week before, 5½ - 3½, and were in the best of form for the match with the Broncos.

Scheduled to play no team this week, the Saint Mary's golfers are working out at Tilden Park, preparatory to one more game which probably will be with San Jose State, league leaders.

Bronco Signs With Yankees

SANTA CLARA—Pat Patterson, leading Bronco hurler of last year, has been signed by the New York Yankees, according to a recent press dispatch.

Patterson will spend his first season in pro ball with El Paso, a Texas league.

Starritt Hurling For Vallejo

Ben Starritt, former Saint Mary's football player, is now pitching for the Vallejo C.Y.O. baseball team.

Starritt last Sunday hurled a 4-2 victory over the California Colored Giants.

It's a Girl!

Beans Campbell Proud Papa

Howard "Beans" Campbell, former Saint Mary's football star, is a proud papa, it was revealed yesterday.

The newcomer is a six-pound girl and was born in the Albany Hospital Sunday. The mother, the former Cleo Murray, and little Miss Campbell are reported doing nicely.

To Play Sunday

Gordon Laird, member of last year's Saint Mary's basketball team, will once again see action on the hardwood, when he will play for the alumni Sunday afternoon in the Madigan gym.

—Oakland Tribune photo.

Charles Kullman, internationally famous tenor, was soloist at a Treasure island concert, forerunner of many musical programs at the 1939 Golden Gate International exposition.

Maderas Hurls Win

Phoenix Whip Loyola, 5-2

Under the five-hit pitching of Frankie Maderas, the Phoenix batted out a 5-2 decision over the Loyola Lions last Sunday.

The temperamental Saint Mary's batsmen found themselves after the USC game, and cracked out 11 blows, three of which were triples by Frank Maderas, Charlie Peterson, and Bill Wright.

Earl Sheely's nine was never in danger, scoring the first run in the third, a pair in the fourth, and two more in the ninth. Wright overcame his batting slump with two singles, a double, and a triple in four trips to the plate. Maderas more than materially aided his team mates by doubling and tripling in three tries.

Short box score:

	R	H	E
Saint Mary's	5	11	1
Loyola	2	5	1

Maderas and Cardoza; Booth and Pontrellix.

Last Game Sunday

Phoenix Meet Union Oil Nine

On Sunday the Phoenix will tangle in their last game of the season. It will be played in honor of Homecoming Day and their final opponent will be the Union Oil team.

After a successful season in which the Gaels barely missed winning the conference title, they hope to give the old grads a good showing.

The pitcher will probably be Frank Maderas with Bob Cardoza as the catcher. A great crowd is expected since it is the last game of the season and the campus will be infested with ex-Gaels.

GAEL FROSH WHIP BEAR NINE, 9-3

Saint Mary's freshmen baseball team made it three straight from the California Babies Tuesday afternoon, when they defeated the Berkeley club, 9-3.

Lynn Creech, Gaelet hurler, went the entire route, allowing California five hits.

The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Saint Mary's	9	13	2
California	3	5	6

Creech and Reynolds; Valencia, Danning, and Bundy.

SHADOWING the GAELS

by TOM FEENEY

The Phoenix nine lost the title amid tougher breaks than any other nine ever encountered. Victim of four one-run losses, two in extra innings, spelled the defeat.

Had they won the championship they would have received as reward a baseball tour into the Midwest, and perhaps the East.

It was necessary for them to win the pennant, however, and failure to do so threw all plans into past history.

Frankly, it's a shame the Gaels lost, because they had the BEST team in the league and had perfect balance and reserves for barnstorming. Five standout pitchers, four outfielders, six infielders and two catchers—all top-notchers.

Deservingly the team still should take the trip, but having the pennant is a potent factor in attracting gates and money is the ONLY big argument. As for the COLLEGIAN, they were only cheated out of a good story.

Alumni Return

to the scene of former conquest and defeat this Sunday when the Annual Homecoming Day is held on the campus.

Scheduled already are baseball and basketball games. While the baseball game may only be a frosh vs. varsity encounter, the cage contest will bring out former basketball stars in gym shorts once again.

The alumni team will probably be composed of Swede Anderson, 1939 All-American, Al Andrade, Ken Meitz, Gordon Laird, Larry Minehan, "Rocket" Rockwell, Paul Barnes, Butch Simas, Herb Schreiber, Al Nichelini, Warren Jenkins and others.

Against them, next year's Gael varsity will make their first appearance.

Highlights of Trip

It took the lowly Bruins to break the 4-run maximum extended to any opposing team by the Gael pitchers, when UCLA won out in the 10th inning 5 to 4 . . . one of the most encouraging features of the L. A. series was the return of basehits in Capt. Bill Murphy's bat . . . the tying run in the second USC game was scored (8th inning) on a feeble grounder hit back to the pitcher that struck a rock and bounded over the pitcher's head . . . staunch Phoenix fans are the parents of Bob Cordoza and Hal Vogelsang who motored to Los Angeles to spectate at the title series.

All Conference Nine

The shadower upon receiving the past baseball season offers his ALL CONFERENCE TEAM:

P. O'Neill	Saint Mary's
P. Merrill	Saint Mary's
P. Thompson	Stan.
C. Lombardi	Cal.
C. Lingua	Saint Mary's
1st Carter	UCLA
2nd Duezebau	Cal.
3rd Hanson	USC
S.S. Tran	Saint Mary's
L.F. Butler	Saint Mary's
C.F. De Vaurs	Cal.
R.F. Ramsey	USC

The Phoenix, upon returning from the Southland, compiled an ALL-OPPONENT team which is here presented:

P. Thompson	Stan.
P. Brewer	USC
C. Lombardi	Cal.
1st Carter	UCLA
2nd Duezabou	Cal.
3rd Holly	USC
S.S. Hanson	USC
L.F. Carroll	SC
C.F. De Vaurs	Cal.
R.F. Ramsey	USC

Sport Chaff . . .

Before the last Gael-UCLA baseball game, the Bruins held their qualifying marks in the international field games contest. Hal Hirshon, UCLA outfielder, circled the bases in 13.9 seconds, but Al Lingua, Phoenix catcher, in an exhibition beat Hirshbon's time by one-tenth of a second.

Thirty days of Spring football practice for conference teams is the new rule just passed. Slip, of course, is abiding by the rule and by the conclusion of the Spring workouts won't quite have totaled that number.

Serious Kidney Ailment Confines Junior to Bed

William Fitzgerald, San Francisco junior, at present confined to bed at home because of complications of the kidneys, has been progressing in health as well as could be expected, his condition being further complicated by high blood pressure, it was indicated by August Gaspar, junior class president.

With Fitzgerald's condition varying greatly, doctors are unable to operate and cut the nerves necessary to lower his blood pressure. If this could be accomplished, Gaspar said, the doctors believe that they could build up his resistance for another operation to remove an abnormal growth on his kidney, cause of the whole trouble.

Gaspar and other members of the third-year class have kept advised of Fitzgerald's condition since he was forced to leave school.

Minor Sports

MAL FIESE PRODUCES GREAT JOB

By George Farnham

Saint Mary's swimmers, golfers, tennis stars, and boxers will be making sports headlines a few years from now—all because a few students possessed a little athletic ability and a universe of pioneering spirit.

The minor sports program at Saint Mary's was bound to start sometime or other, but it probably would have had to wait until the dim and distant future, had it not been for the appointment of Mal Fiese, a go-getter if there ever was one, as Minor Sports Director.

In the short year that he has been here in that capacity, Mal has won the support of the students to his program and the gratitude of all Gaels who aspire to become proficient in the lesser known forms of athletics.

Won Two Matches

The tennis team has only won two matches, but it has played its schedule out. The golf team has emerged with but one victory but it went into its matches with remarkable enthusiasm.

The swimming team lost its only meet played so far, by a big score but displayed an array of talent and a will to go out and try, which probably no other swimming team in Gael sports history has had. Needless to say that the Smoker staged on March 15 was a tremendous success as far as the boxing end was concerned.

Little Time Needed

These are a few of the things that Mal Fiese has done. It is because of him that the minor athletes understand that they can not become world beaters and Olympic champs on their first try. They understand that it takes a little time before Saint Mary's will have minor sport league winners, but they are willing to lay the foundation for future conference champion teams.

In the face of this array of minor sports, Mal is planning still two more additions to the agenda. Wrestling will become a minor sport on the campus next year, and though it probably will not become an intercollegiate sport the Moraga grunt and groan artists will nevertheless be afforded an opportunity to strut their stuff at the student wrestling smokers, planned by Fiese. Track is another possible revival. Now that the James Smith oval is being reconditioned (it was formerly one of the best cinder tracks in the country) and the recent Intramural meet brought out an unknown display of talent, the time seems ripe for a revival of the ancient Greek sport.

All in all, Saint Mary's is heading for a bigger and better minor sports program and the only thing to block its course would be lack of interest from the students. Mal Fiese has insured against this possible catastrophe of nature, however, by making his program so appealing that no student could resist at least being interested enough to follow the fortunes of the teams.

Set for Sunday

Two Trophies At Stake

The annual punting and passing contests will be held Sunday afternoon on the football field starting at 12:30 p.m.

James M. Smith's kicking trophy will bring out many candidates. This will be an interesting event to watch, because at the present time Slip Madigan has no kicker for next year's football eleven.

Dowd Won Last Year

Such gridders as Jack Sims, Charles Keyer, Ed Heffernan, and other backfield aces are listed in this event. Jerry Dowd won the event last year.

The passing trophy sponsored by William J. Fitzgerald will also attract many players. Andy Marefos, sophomore fullback, won this event last year, and will be out to regain the trophy.

Heffernan Favorite

Heffernan, who had the best passing average on the coast during last year's grid season, will be favorite in this contest.

More than a million square feet of exhibit space at the 1939 California world's fair is in buildings constructed on pilings driven deep into the sand of Treasure island.

Last Round-up

Phoenix Split With UCLA, Seven Homers

Closing their 1939 baseball season, the Saint Mary's Phoenix defeated the U.C.L.A. nine 14-0 Tuesday afternoon at Los Angeles. The Bruins whipped the Moragamen in the first game, 5-4.

Cy Greenlaw got credit for the defeat while Bud Merrill hurled his fourth straight win for the Gaels.

In the two games played, seven home runs were knocked. The Bruins received one while Saint Mary's got six.

Following are the box scores:

First Game

SAINT MARY'S	AB	H	A	UCLA	AB	H	A
Butler, 2b	4	0	3	Hirshon, cf	4	1	0
Tran, ss	5	2	1	Guyer, ss	3	1	3
Murphy, cf	5	2	1	Zaby, lf	5	1	0
Wright, 1b	4	3	0	Carter, 1b	5	3	0
Sinnett, 3b	4	0	1	Moore, 2b	5	1	3
Sanders, lf	4	0	0	Null, 3b	53		2
Gonella, rf	2	0	1	Whitlow, rf	5	2	0
Peterson, lf	1	1	0	Crail, c	4	1	0
Cardoza, c	3	0	1	Emberson, p	4	1	3
Lingua, c	1	0	0				
Greenlaw, p	4	1	2				
Johnston	1	0	0				
Totals	38	9	10	Totals	40	14	11

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Runs—Murphy, Peterson, Cardoza, Greenlaw (Saint Mary's), 4; Guyer 2, Carter 2, Moore (UCLA, 5). Errors—Wright, Sinnett, Sanders, Hirshon, Guyer, Moore, Null.

	IP	AB	H	R	RRF	SO	BB
Greenlaw	..	..	..	..	..	5	9	3
Emerson	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	5

Home runs—Carter, Greenlaw. Three-base hits—Wright, Sanders, Zaby, Null. Runs batted in—Carter 2, Zaby 4, Whitlow, Wright, Tran, Greenlaw. Sacrifice—Lingua and Greenlaw. Stolen bases—Butler, Crail, Sanders. Double plays—Tran to Butler to Wright.

Second Game

SAINT MARY'S	AB	H	A	UCLA	AB	H	A
Butler, 3b	6	2	1	Hirshon, cf	4	2	0
Tran, ss	4	2	1	Guyer, ss	2	0	0
Murphy, cf	6	1	0	Jaffe, ss	2	0	2
Wright, 1b	4	2	0	Zaby, lf	4	0	0
Lingua, 2b	4	2	4	Carter, 1b	4	1	0
Sanders, lf	5	1	0	Moore, 2b	3	1	3
Peterson, rf	3	0	0	Null, 3b	1	0	0
Cardoza, c	4	2	1	Park, 3b	2	0	0
Merrill, p	5	0	3	Baida, rf	3	0	0
				Crail, c	3	0	0
				DuBarry, p	1	0	1
				Cohen, p	1	0	0
				Fred'ricks, p	1	0	0
Totals	41	12	10	Totals	31	4	6

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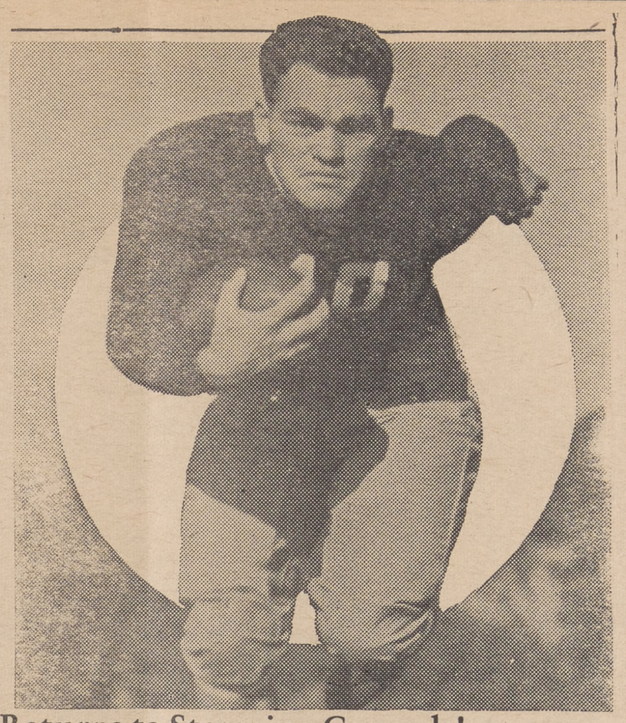
UCLA ..... 000 000 000— 0

Errors—Butler, Guyer, Zaby, Null, Park, DuBarry. Home runs—Butler 2, Tran, Wright, Cardoza. Two-base hits—Wright, Lingua, Sanders. Runs batted in—Butler 2, Wright 3, Cardoza 4, Tran. Losing pitcher—DuBarry. Innnigs pitched—DuBarry 2, Cohen 4. At bat—Off DuBarry 10, Cohen 21. Hits—Off DuBarry 4, Cohen 7. Runs scored—Off DuBarry 5, Cohen 8. Runs responsible for—DuBarry 5, Cohen 2, Fredericks 1. Struck out—By DuBarry 2, Cohen 1, Fredericks 2, Merrill 11. Bases on balls—Off DuBarry 4, Cohen 1, Fredericks 4, Merrill 2. Wild pitches—Merrill, DuBarry. Stolen bases—Tran, Murphy. Double plays—Moore to Carter, Jaffe to Moore to Carter.



Returns to Stamping Grounds!

Big Al Nichelini returns to Saint Mary's this Sunday to spend the afternoon in reminiscing with his fellow graduates and friends. Al has just completed his first year as coach at Weed High School, and should have many tales to relate with the grads.

Ralph Jack Honored

TROPHY ON DISPLAY IN CO-OP STORE

Feted at the annual banquet held on April 10th in La Salle, Illinois, for the outstanding athlete of the Illinois valley, Ralph Jack, senior guard, returned to the campus last week.

With him he brought a beautiful gold trophy, the Illinois Valley Sports Writers Award, which is given permanently to the best athlete of the year to come from that sector. The trophy is on display in the Campus Cooperative Store.

"This banquet is given every year since its inauguration three years ago," said Jack. "And it is steadily increasing in size and scope. There were about three hundred people there this time."

Head speaker of the evening was John Cassidy, Attorney-General of the state of Illinois, and former schoolmate of Slip Madigan, head football coach at Saint Mary's. The toastmaster for the occasion was "Rocky" Wolfe, head of the Sports News Bureau of Chicago.

Many Speakers

Other speakers included Wendall Wilson, athletic director of the University of Illinois, and Doug Mills, basketball coach at the University. Ernie Nevers, former Stanford All-American fullback and now coach of the Chicago Cardinals professional football team, was also in attendance at the affair. Harold "Red" Grange, immortal halfback from Illinois, was unable to attend because of illness.

"I felt a little bit nervous when I spoke," said the husky, blond gridder, "But the entire affair was thrilling and I was honored to receive the award. This is the first time I've been home in three years so that was something exciting in itself."

Jack Gives Talk

Jack also spoke at the High School assembly in his hometown which afforded him an opportunity to entertain the students with a few well-chosen jokes and to caution them with a bit of worldy wisdom. Jack enjoyed a four-day visit with his family and friends before he returned to the College.

This was also the thirteenth time that he had traveled to the East and Mid-West and back, other trips being made on the annual Fordham jaunt to New York. The Saint Mary's Club sponsored the trip for Jack.

Batting Statistics

MATTHEWS LEADS FROSH HITTERS

Ed Matthews, recent edition to the Phoenix Clubs, is leading his teammates in batting with a neat .390 average, according to the official statistics released by Manager Andy Franzoia.

Close behind Matthews is Bud Sheely, slugging first baseman, who has nopped the ball for a sizeable .368. Sheely has moved up two rungs since last week's standings.

Dropping two places is Harry McLaughlin, right fielder, who has registered .360. Pitcher Jack McClure is in fourth place with .354.

Seven freshman hitters are now batting over .300. In last week's hitting statistics there were eight, McPartland having dropped to .297.

The complete freshman statistics for 20 games are as follows:

	AB	H	Pct.
Matthews, rf	33	13	.390
Sheely, 1b	62	23	.368
McLaughlin, cf	64	24	.360
McClure, p	17	6	.354
Mori, p	6	2	.332
Mohr, 2b	77	25	.325
Raynolds, c	65	21	.315
McPartland, c	37	11	.297
Creech, p	17	5	.295
Tobin, ss	32	8	.248
Whalen, 3b	66	16	.240
Compagno, 3b	48	11	.231
Classen, cf	52	9	.171
Perasso, p	13	2	.152

Pitching Dope

Merrill In First Place

Bud Merrill, senior hurler, won pitching honors for the Saint Mary's Phoenix this season, according to the official statistics released yesterday by Manager Bud Latuda.

Merrill is in first place with four conference victories and no defeats. Earl Johnson and Emmett O'Neill are tied for second spot with an average of .750.

Cy Greenlaw, senior pitcher, this season hurled three, winning one and losing two.

Following are the statistics for the Phoenix Twirlers for 15 conference games:

Pitcher	G	W	W	Pct.
Merrill	4	4	0	1.000
Johnson	4	3	1	.750
O'Neill	4	3	1	.750
Greenlaw	3	1	2	.333

GRADUATE SAILS BOAT TO WIN

Joe McAleese, Saint Mary's graduate, captured his second straight victory in the Golden Gate International Exposition elimination series for star sailboats. He sailed his star boat Mercury over his nearest competitor.

McAleese has been an ardent sailboat fan since graduating from Saint Mary's and has figured prominently, of late, in the frequent regattas held in the Bay area. His win has placed him in a position to cop the GGIE top honors for sailboats of his class.

Dempsey's Feature

More on Homecoming

(Continued from page Two)

opponent second baseman pulled the hidden ball trick on him, and in the scramble for the putout the ball became lost; Goofy, standing on the bag, put an end to the shortstop's frantic search by pulling the ball out of his sleeve, reversing the usual order of the trick. Or the payoff, when he came running in barefooted—honest—to catch a fly ball, having removed his shoes to amuse himself while waiting in the outfield for something to happen. Oh yes,, Saint Mary's baseball players will be spreading it on thick, and enjoying it, when they meet this Homecoming Day. It would do us well to listen to some of these incredible yarns.

Many Tell Tales

Basketball players have done their due for the College and they will return to recall many tales that will tend to pale those of the ex-gridders, and baseball players.

Homecoming Day will bring out the best and the jolliest in these mighty athletes of Saint Mary's, when, in one day, they will attempt to cover more than a decade of the past glories of their college. The tribute they pay Saint Mary's in honors may be well marked in the million dollar bracket.

"Yay!" you shout delightedly, "let's turn out and mingle with them!"

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Saint Mary's Guild Realizes Goal to Aid Prep Students

Brother Leo Lenten Lecture Series Success

A scholarship fund for needy high school students desiring to enter college, a goal set some months ago by the Saint Mary's College Guild, is to be realized.

This announcement was made yesterday when it was revealed that the success of the Brother Leo Lenten Lecture series sponsored by the Guild netted more than $9000, which sum will be deposited toward the establishment of the scholarship fund.

Active Committees

Success of the drive, Reverend Joseph I. Manning, student body chaplain and director of the Guild, indicated is due to the promotion work of the committees headed by Mrs. Frank Kelly, Mrs. Gerald Hogan, Mrs. Claire Hart Dunn, and Mrs. Frederick West.

According to present indications, activities of the Guild will not cease with that accomplishment, for plans have been formulated toward participation in Saint Mary's Day at the Fair. At that time, Mrs. West will be one of the guest speakers at the general assembly.

Pointing toward a continuation of activities, the Guild will install new officers for the coming academic year at the ballroom of the Young Men's Institute building in San Francisco, May 3.

The installation will find Mrs. West occupying the president's chair, Mrs. Peter J. Haggerty serving as vice-president; Mrs. Kelly, second vice-president; Anita Ballser, executive secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. Cecile Sloane, treasurer. Mrs. Thomas Leach, Mrs. Trapani, and Mrs. Thomas Killiles have been named recording secretaries.

Board Named

Chairmen of the Board of Saint Mary's Guild are Mrs. Hogan and Mrs. Dunn, while the Board includes Mesdames Josephine Welsh, William J. Fitzgerald, Rose Ward, George McKeever, Andrew Johnson, I. Trapani, Charles Sullivan, Dinnis Smith, Dan McCormick, F. Lagamarsino, M. Leary, Al Reding, Frank Schmid, Daniel Murphy, Charles Brusatori, Miss Virginia Donohue, Miss Katherine Phelan, and Mrs. McAndrews.

Communism Topic Of Lecture by Prominent Attorney

The fight against Communism will be the theme of an APGU sponsored lecture Monday night when John Grennan, prominent Bay attorney and former Saint Mary's student addresses the student body in the lounge.

Grennan is known as an active Lay Catholic apologist in local and national issues involving Catholicism and its principles, and is recognized as an authority on the attack methods of Communism.

An attorney at law practicing in Oakland and San Francisco, Grennan is instructor in law at the University of California, the Chartered Life Underwriters of United States, and is a former law instructor with the American Institute of Banking.

He is president of Holy Name Society, Saint Mary Magdalen Church, Berkeley.

The lecture will start at 7:45.

Conflict of Dates Postpones Talk

Because of a conflict with senior Open House, the talk by C. Wesley Davis, instructor in law, before the senior class of Sacred Heart College has been moved to Friday, April 28.

This is to be the fourth of a series of talks presented to the high school's senior class by graduates of Saint Mary's College and the high school.

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Los Angeles Area Grads Form New Alumni Unit

Alumni in Los Angeles and vicinity came to life with an enthusiastic meeting, which was attended by numerous graduates on April 13.

Robert Moy presided at the meeting, at which new officers were elected. Willard Ridings—"Cinnamon Roll to bygone *Collegian* readers—was elected president of the unit; Felix Pennino, former varsity end, vice-president; Frank Haven, erstwhile *Collegian* adgetter, treasurer; Edmund Roberts, secretary. A Board of Directors consisting of Al Henno, chairman; William Thorpe, Bob Moy, Harry Simpson and Martin Kordick was chosen.

First plans for the newly organized Alumni in the "sunny" part of the state call for a chartered bus to the next California-Saint Mary's game.

Will Ridings and Bill Thorue collaborated recently on a report of Los Angeles County called "Plan," which set a new high for literature of a technical nature, and received praiseworthy comments from the nation at large, . . . Art Sherry and other 529ers, please copy.

Ed Roberts promises to keep the Alumni advised as to what happens in the Southland.

Fourth Estate To Elect Officers Monday Noon

Fourth Estate, campus press club, will meet Monday noon to elect officers for the coming year. Selection of candidates will be made from the nominations submitted by a committee appointed last week to secure a group of efficient and conscientious men to handle the affairs of the organization next year.

Details of the organization and by-laws drawn up by the committee will also be considered by the members. If the society follows the precedent of former campus press clubs there will be a restricted membership and the organization will be made exclusive to active students in campus press circles.

At the meeting members will also discuss plans for participation in the annual high school press convention which originated the movement and sponsored the first Catholic press convention seven years ago.

Press Convention Program Given

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over respectively by Lionel Holmes, Collegian editor, William Glackin, former columnist, and Thomas Feeney, sports columnist.

Newspaper exhibits with written criticisms will be open to the prep students in Keith Art Gallery, Galileo Hall.

A radio dance in De la Salle lounge will precede the presentation of awards to be made at the final assembly at 4:15.

The convention is held each year to foster and encourage the efforts of the Catholic high school press throughout the state and is open to every type of newspaper published by the Catholic schools.

Open House Day Attracts Preps

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Day at the fair on Treasure Island tomorrow, April 22.

Trains carrying the visiting seniors will return to San Francisco and Oakland at 4:22 p.m.

Senior classes from Catholic high schools of the bay region that are visiting the campus today are: Saint Elizabeth's High School of Oakland; Saint Mary's, Berkeley; Saint Ignatius, San Francisco; Saint James, San Francisco; Saint Peter's, San Francisco; Sacred Heart, San Francisco; Christian Brothers' High of Sacramento, and Saint Vincent's High School of Vallejo.

College Archivist Wants Old Papers

Brother Vantasian, college archivist, would like to have the following copies of the COLLEGIAN to complete his files: January 20, February 3, 10, October 20, 1933; November 23, 30, 1934; January 5, 23, March 8, April 26, May 3, 10, 1935.

Anyone having such copies will confer a great favor on the venerable archivist by sending them to him at Saint Mary's College, California.

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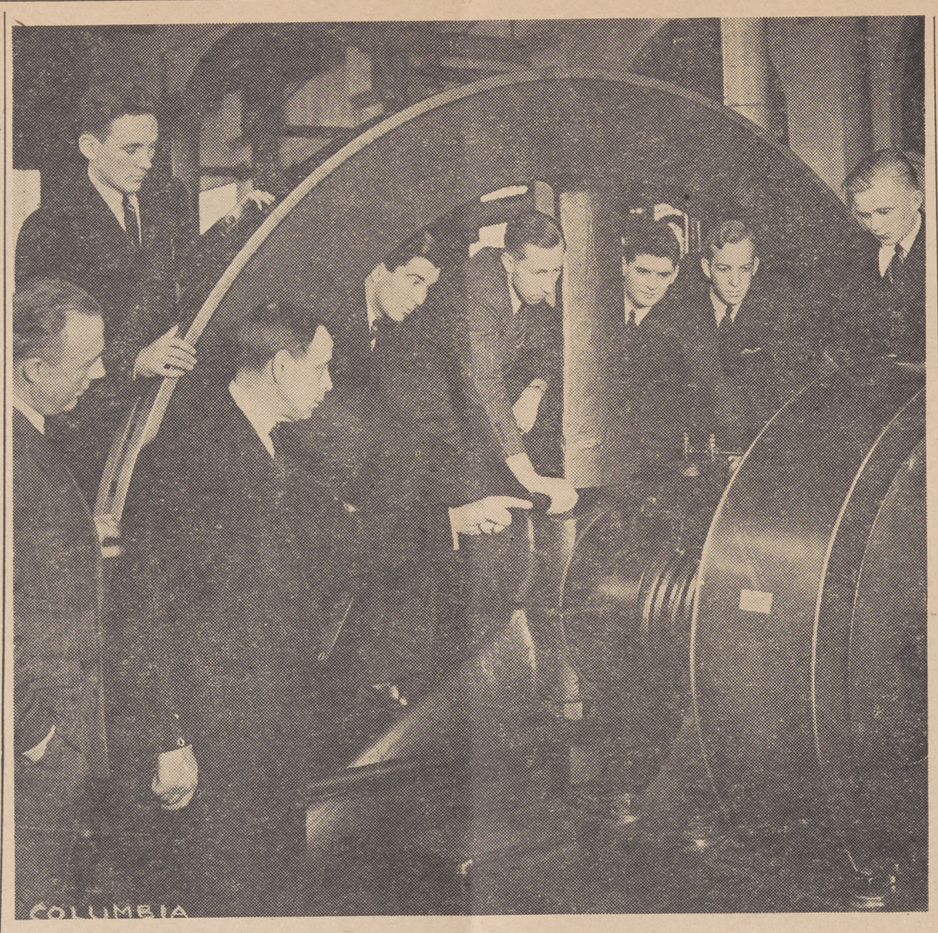


Touring Debaters in Northwest

Here are shown members of the Saint Mary's College debate team inspecting chemical plant of Portland Gas & Coke Co. In foreground are R. G. Barnett (left), company vice-president and Saint Mary's graduate, and N. H. Wardale, plant superintendent. Students are John Williams (left), team manager, Joseph P. Donnelly, Alvin Quittman, Joseph McCarthy and William O. Dooms.—Courtesy Portland, Oregon, Journal.

Senior Sketches

By Robert Brennan

It is often the practice among students from neighboring cities to ride the rough seats of the Moraga Streamliner for three years of college life and then to repose in comfort in the dormitories the final year. And so it is with the individual presented by the Sketcher this week.

Joseph McCarthy, a prominent member of the high and mighty senior class, is a resident of Oakland and matriculated from Saint Mary's High School in Berkeley. McCarthy, who was awarded a one year scholarship in his freshman year, first registered as a day student, but later moved into the invigorating atmosphere of Moraga valley.

An Active Student

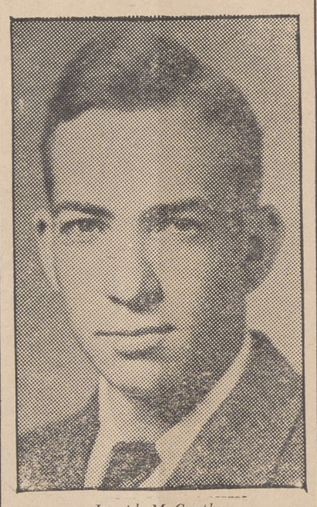
Joe is among the group of most active students on the campus. Less than two years ago he became interested in debating. McCarthy held one of the coveted positions on the forensic team which just returned from a successful tour of the Northwest. In other activities McCarthy's record speaks as well for him. Joe was literary editor of the 1938 Gael, a job which when completed revealed the outstanding ability possessed by our literary master. Another achievement with which we may credit our fair haired Oakland lad is the manner in which Brother Leo's passion play, "Ecce Homo" was managed. This excellent production was a huge success, both dramatically and financially, the latter being due mainly to the efforts put forth by Joe.

Irish Member

McCarthy is also a member of the Eire Oge, the campus Irish Society; ex-president of the pre-legal association, which he rehabilitated; a member of the Sanctuary Society; on the Senior Ball Committee and is a member of the Senior Week Committee. Joe is known to some wags of the campus as the "pool-hall tycoon." The pool habitat was for one semester managed by the capable Mr. McCarthy. Recorder's office records also reveal Joe's abilities as an honor student.

In social activities Joe is also a leader of some note. His having missed only one dance in four years puts him in the butterfly class. He also has a mania for Santa Cruz, the popular beach resort, where most socialites spend their free week-ends.

Upon graduation McCarthy will enter the University of California to obtain his secondary teaching certificate. After receiving a diploma in Education and Administration he will venture forth into the world as a high school teacher and perhaps ultimately as a professor in some great institution of higher learning.



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Big Brother Day Draws Club Here

Featured as one of the many attractions of the week of April 30 is the annual Big Brothers Day to be held by the Saint Mary's Club, when this organization opens a program devoted to athletic and cultural activity.

To augment a previously inaugurated fund for adding volumes to the Saint Mary's College library, members of the club will stage baseball and football contests at which admission will be charged, it was indicated by chairman of the day, Stanley R. Leavell.

Arriving shortly before the 10 o'clock Mass, which opens the daily program, a special train will carry campus visitors to the college for the Club's yearly outing.

A baseball game scheduled between the Phoenix and freshman squad will follow to entertain the large crowd that is anticipated. During this event it is planned to include contests among the players to determine the fastest base runners, as well as the player possessing the best throwing arm.

Picnic lunching in picturesque Justin Grove, directly behind the administration building, will follow. Whether or not lunch would be served in the dining hall was expressed as an uncertainty by Leavell.

Feature attraction of the day will be the football battle between two squads, the Reds and Blues of the Gael varsity, one under Edward P. "Slip" Madigan, and another under assistant coach Norman "Red" Strader. This Red-Blue encounter will mark the termination of the current spring practice season.

Caluses Form On Hands Of Students For First Time In Year

The grounds crew stood about and had a hearty laugh at the expense of the majority of students Wednesday, annual Clean-up Day—the enigma of spring-feverish students.

It was a sight to behold to see dignified seniors clumsily wielding shovels, hoes, rakes, brooms, and other implements necessitated by multifarious weeds.

Prize assignment for the toughest job went to the freshmen. Theirs was the task of ascending Mount Van and cleaning obnoxious weeds from the borders of the SM.

Even Slip Madigan's grid warriors were pressed into service. Perhaps the smartest of the gridders was George Arabian who applied to Brother Henry for the job of foreman in that class two days before the clean-up was scheduled.

Besides Mount Van the areas around the dormitories, behind the Brothers' quarters, about the study halls, near Madigan Gymnasium, and the baseball diamond were all slicked up.

Baseball minded folks looked with horror at the excavations in the playing field made by the hoes of amateur gardeners under Brother L. Edward and Professor Arthur S. Campbell.

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Pulitzer Prize Play Slated for Bay Showing

"Our Town," the noted Pulitzer prize play, will be presented at the Curran Theater, San Francisco, for a limited engagement, opening Monday night, April 24, with a gala premiere.

The original Jed Harris production, starring Frank Cravan, beloved stage and screen star, and a cast of fifty, exactly as performed at the Morosco Theater in New York for a full year, is being presented on its Pacific Coast tour by Everett Weil and Ray Golden.

A little New Hampshire village is the locale of "Our Town." The hamlet, Grover's Corners, has all the familiar sights and sounds of small town life; factory whistles, children playing on their way home from school, the gossip of women at work, the silence of small town streets at night, the smell of heliotrope in the morning.

The play numbers among its fifty characters many of the well-known figures in the life of a typical country village; the editor, the doctor, the newspaper carrier, the milkman, the choir master, choir singers and the town gossips. This daily life through its very humbleness and commonness has a kind of universality and divinity.

Playwright Wilder is the only writer ever to win the Pulitzer Prize in two different divisions of literature; his novel, "The Bridge of San Luis Rey," won the award in 1928 and ten years later "Our Town" was voted the outstanding American play.

Jed Harris, noted for his productions of "Royal Family," "Broadway," "Coquette," and "The Front Page," read the first act of "Our Town" while in London and flew to Zurich, Switzerland, where Mr. Wilder was completing the play.

Tickets are on sale at the Curran Box Office. Matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday.

Pre-Legal Group To Visit USF

Pre-legal Club members will be given a taste of law school, Monday April 24, when they will be conducted through a tour of the University of San Francisco Law School as guests of the students of the day and evening school divisions of the university.

Groups will sit in on the various classes, meet the Dean and faculty and afterwards will be served refreshments in the lounge.

6:30 is the time set for the visit by the Saint Mary's future lawyer club.

Richard P. Stubbs, president of the University's Evening Division, has arranged the tour.

This is another in a series of visits and investigations made by the Pre-legal Club members.

Faculty Members, Students at Fair

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the School of Arts and Letters, Brother Alfred of the school of science, and two honor students, Jack Williams and William Glackin in a roundtable discussion on the "Basic Elements of a College Education." The program will be broadcast over the NBC network from studio "B" on Treasure Island between 3:30 and 5:00 o'clock.

The extensive program will be concluded with an intercollegiate debate between Saint Mary's and Santa Clara over radio station KFSO from 5 to 5:30.

Thirty-five High School Students Enter Congress

United States, Britain Alliance To Be Argued

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Mary's Day at the Fair and the finals will again be argued by the first and second place winners in the conference room of the Pacific House at 11:30 a. m.

Winners of the Cup awards in 1933 were: Cathedral high school, Los Angeles, Brother Erminold cup for first place; Saint Ignatius, San Francisco, Brother Agnon cup, 2nd place; Saint Brigid high school, San Francisco, APGU cup, 3rd place; and Saint Brigid's high school, Department of Forensics cup, 4th place.

Committees Named

Named on committees of the day are: Franey, general chairman; James Stewart and William Egan, registration chairman; William Spehar, finance chairman; Robert Fleitz, president of the Alpha Pi Gamma Upsilon; John Williams, debate manager; and Simon, faculty moderator.

Entering the 1939 tournament are Jerry Murphy, James Old, Robert West, Arthur Brest, Robert Martini, George Kosturos, John Fallon and Jerry Ryon of Sacred Heart College High, San Francisco; Joyce Wallace, Lauretta Carney, Doris Fay, Dorothy Kieferdorf, Ernestine Carvelli, Betty Vivaldi, Elaine Raggio, and Doris Krutmeyer, of Saint Brigid's High, San Francisco; Lucille Aston, June Ellis, Marie Rose Brullard, Carolyn Machol, Yvonne Estrada, and Mary Ferguson of Ecole Notre Dame Des Victoires, San Francisco.

More Names

Jean Laney, Patricia Ashley, Betty Brace and Eileen Lindblad, of Saint Joseph's Presentation Academy, Berkeley; Bernard Brethaner, William Crawford, Francis Starrs, Frank Egan, Frank Ryan, and Sam Avolicino, Saint Mary's High, Berkeley; Marie Fox, Jean Hammers, Ed Thornally, and William Barros, Saint Elizabeth's High, Oakland; James Booch, James Cox, Stanley Williams, and Arthur Case, Christian Brothers, Sacramento.

Other schools entering teams are: Cathedral High School, Los Angeles; Notre Dame High School, San Jose; Saint Ignatius High School, San Francisco; Saint Paul's High School, San Francisco; Saint Peter's High, San Francisco.

Judges of the debates are Thomas Twomey, Brother Virgil, Brother Henry and Havelock Hunter.

Block SM Club Pushes Dance Plans

Plans are rapidly being pushed forward by President Joe Hurley for the Block SM Society's sport dance on April 28. Hurley has placed Jack Crampton and Primo Brusatti on the Floor Committee, while Lavine Bettencourt, Tom Feeney and George Cantwell will handle decorations

The dance, the first one on the campus since before Lent, promises a gala time for all. Jack Kelly's capable crew will provide the music. Admission is seventy-five cents for gentlemen—ladies free!

Spring Semester Examination Schedule

Lower Division Classes Will Meet As Usual During Week May 1-5

IMPORTANT: Due to conflicts caused by the overlapping of the two-hour examination periods certain room changes will be made during the week of May 1-5. These changes will be posted on the bulletin boards and on class room doors. The Lower Division examinations will be held in the regular class rooms.

UPPER DIVISION

All classes in session on Mon. at 8:00—May 1, Mon. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 9:00—May 1, Mon. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Tues. at 8:00—May 2, Tues. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Tues. at 9:00—May 2, Tues. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 10:00—May, 3, Wed. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 11:00—May 3, Wed. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Tues. at 10:00—May 4, Thur. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Tues. at 11:00—May 4, Thur. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 1:00—May 5, Fri. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 2:00—May 5, Fri. 1:00- 3:00

LOWER DIVISION

All classes in session on Mon. at 8:00—May 8, Mon. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 9:00—May 8, Mon. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Tues. at 8:00—May 9, Tues. 9:00-11:00
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All classes in session on Mon. at 10:00—May 10, Wed. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 11:00—May 10, Wed. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Tues. at 10:00—May 11, Thur. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Tues at 11:00—May 11, Thur. 1:00- 3:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 1:00—May 12, Fri. 9:00-11:00
All classes in session on Mon. at 2:00—May 12, Fri. 1:00- 3:00

The semester examination for Zoology 7 will be given on Thursday, May 4, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The English comprehensive examination (English 198) will be given on Tuesday, May 2, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., and the second half of the examination on Thursday, May 4, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Time and place for the Constitution examination will be posted on the bulletin boards.

Please Report any Conflicts to the Office of the Recorder At Once.

Alamedan Wins Cottle Oratorical Contest as Only Two Compete For Gold Medal Awarded Annually

Victor Speaks on American Negro Problem While Competitor Eulogizes Father Damien, Martyr of Molokai

Solution of the Negro problem lies with the white man's recognizing the Christian principle that the Negro is as much the son of God as others and that he has certain rights which should be respected.

Tracing this theme through his dramatic and powerful speech before a responsive lounge audience, John Williams, senior debate manager from Alameda, spoke on the Negro problem in America to defeat his lone competitor, Freshman Horway Witteman of Alhambra in the finals of the Cottle Oratorical Contest Tuesday night.

Judges Thomas J. Twomey, Brother Julius, and Brother Victor pronounced Williams winner of the competition after a lengthy deliberation. In announcing the judges' decision, Chairman Twomey remarked that "no two better orations have been delivered in the Cottle contest for a great many years." Witteman spoke on "The Martyr of Molokai" in which he euologized Father Damien.

Passionate Hatred

"Down on the streets . . . one may see deep, passionate hatred rise in the eyes of men when black brothers are seen riding in automobiles or public vehicles," Williams said as he opened his topic. "One may see mothers warning their children not to play with pickaninies. Daughters of the American Revolution protest a Negro cinging in our democratic capital," he continued.

Crime may be given lukewarm attention, but if the criminal be black "the righteousness of the indignation sweeps the world," the speaker said as he sought to prove that "it was blackness that was condemned, not crime."

Going back into the status of the Civil War Negro, Williams presented a comparison with the present situation in stating that "though the civilization of which the American Negro is now an integral part has long since abolished the institution of slavery, it is nevertheless, actuated by the same commercial spirit in dealing with the less privileged groups of men that led to the original slave traffic . . ."

Fallacies

Outlining the charges made against the Negroes as a race, Williams forcefully explained the fallaciousness of the assertions that the Negro is criminally inclined. Instead, he maintained, individual crimes are viciously publicized and made to apply to the entire race.

"Negroes are like any other people," Williams stated. ". . . They are individuals subject to the same laws which govern the mental and spiritual evolution of all individuals. They advance singly and not as a race. If we would only do as they urge us to do—deal with them as individuals and not as a group—the race problem would soon cease to exist."

Good Will

"We must foster charity and spirit of good will and grant to the Negro the place in life which he so justly deserves. Then and then only can we as Catholics say that we are living Christian, democratic lives, recognizing the true values of the human personality," Williams concluded.

Speaking in a slower, less dramatic tone than his predecesor Witteman pictured in vivid word images the "abominable deformations" encountered by Father Damien, the Martyr of Molokai, with the leper colony.

"His beautiful soul and ideals and virtues were not leprous, but reflecting . . . the sufferings of Christ, like an exquisitely fashioned diamond that reflects every irridescent color in God's creation," Witteman praised.

Explores Island

Telling of Damien's exploring Molokai, the freshman orator pictured the misery confronted by the priest on all sides. Here it was, Witteman told, that Damien labored ceaselessly to lighten the lepers' burden, by improving upon the living conditions on the island.

"Yet, the inevitable had come," Witteman declared. "Leprosy finally claimed the lovable padre . . ."

"Damien . . . claimed no privileges. . . . He acted as though the coming of horrible, rotting leprosy was something to be welcomed, inasmuch as it removed the final barrier between him and his people."

Leading up to his death in 1889, Witteman told of the physical strain on the priest's body and his emaciated condition brought about by the prodigious accomplishments of his sixteen years among the lepers.

"Damien had been crucified by the leprous Calvary of Molokai," Witteman concluded. "His death marked the beginning of a great campaign to stamp out the disease of diseases, to make happier the lives of lepers. The work goes on today his dream has come true. . . . It was the life of Damien, Martyr of Molokai, priest of God, leper, and Saint." ,

Many California Colleges Take Part in Exposition

Appearing under auspices of the Special Events Department, many of California's educational institutions already have participated at the Golden Gate International Exposition in special programs, dedicated to each of the participating universities and colleges.

With Stanford, Santa Clara, Saint Mary's, USC, Pacific and UCLA completing bookings for special days, several other institutions already have presented programs on Treasure Island.

Fresno State College, Sacramento Junior College, and San Jose State College, traveling virtually en masse via special trains, all presented well-rounded, diversified programs—drama, vaudeville, glee clubs, band music, symphonic choirs. Pomona, Chapman and Redlands have sent up stellar musical aggregations on their special days, while special appearances already have been made by groups from Occidental, California, Pacific, Santa Rosa Junior College.

Attorney Lectures To Seniors in Transition Course

Frank Coakley '18, assistant district attorney of Alameda County will expound to a senior transition class today, the advantages of the legal profession.

Last Friday's speaker was Dr. William E. O'Grady, ex-'27, who lectured on the merits of a medical career. Dr. O'Grady, a noted physician, was one of the first men to matriculate from Saint Mary's to Creighton University.

The transition course is being conducted by the Alumni under the direction of Leo Cunningham, San Francisco attorney.

Limited Will Stop Here for May Commencement

Arrangements with the Sacramento Northern Railroad to stop their 5:09 p.m. Limited at Saint Mary's College on May 14 so that the people attending the commencement exercises may return home at a convenient time, were made last week. The Sacramento Northern also announced the train schedule for that day as follows: Trains will leave San Francisco at 8:03 a.m, 10:40 a.m. and 1:20 p.m. Trains will leave Saint Mary's College at 4:22 p.m. 5:09 p.m., 6:58 p.m., and 9:31 p.m.

A correction is to be made in the new train schedule released last week in the Collegian. The new schedule, effective beginning Sunday, April 23, follows:

Train No. 12 which left San Francisco at 7:00 a.m. daily except Sunday will now originate at Oakland, 40th and Shafter, leaving at 7:27. Connections for this train will be made by bus leaving the Bus Terminal, 44 Fourth Street, San Francisco, at 6:55 a.m.

Train No. 4 leaving San Francisco daily except Sunday at 10:40 a.m. and Oakland at 11:05, arriving at Saint Mary's at 11:29, will be discontinued, as will train No. 9 leaving the College daily except Sunday at 6:58 p.m. and arriving in Oakland at 7:27 p.m. and San Francisco 7:55 p.m.

Attorneyship Goes To Former Student

Tom Coakley, another Saint Mary's boy who made good, was appointed assistant attorney general by Attorney General Earl Warren.

Coakley, ex-'28, attended the old "Brickpile" where he played basketball in '25 and '26. Enrolled in the pre-legal department of the Arts and Letter curriculum, he later transferred to Hastings Law School of the University of California. He earned his way through school by leading an orchestra which played in some of the leading hotels up and down the coast. He left this orchestra to take his bar examination and embark on a legal career.

Gael to Greet Students May 5

As the date of the appearance of the *Gael* draws near, Pete Lo Bianco, *Gael* editor, urged all those who wished to purchase a copy to make their down payments as soon as possible, so that the proper number may be ordered.

Almost all copy is now in the hands of the printer, according to Lo Bianco, who promised that the *1939 Gael* will appear on the campus on May 5.

ALUMNI NOTES

By J. T. Davis

Annual Retreat

The Annual Retreat of the Alumni Association will be held this year on May 25, at El Retiro retreat house.

This event which has become an annual tradition with the association will again be under the direction of Leo A. Cunningham, a leader in the retreat movement and a past-president of the National Layman's Retreat Association.

Mr. Cunningham will be assisted by a committee composed of J. Giles Miller, James Smith, Justin Mahoney, Gerald Lawlor, Gerald Martin, Louis Pometta, Raymond Arata, Frank Boland, Frank Coakley, Louis Conlan, Charles Scheflin, John Harry.

Members who wish to attend may make arrangements by calling or writing Mr. Leo A. Cunningham, 111 Sutter Street, San Francisco, DOuglas 1960.

Advertiser's Guild

The regular monthly meeting of the Advertiser's Guild was held on April 18, in San Francisco at the Veneto Cafe. A report of the meeting will appear in next week's issue.

Homecoming Committee

A meeting of the Executive Committee in charge of Homecoming Day met in San Francisco on Wednesday evening, April 19th, at Sacred Heart College. The program for the day appears elsewhere in this issue.

Alumni Here and There

John and Harold Libby are still associated with O'Connor & Co., large ecclesiastical supply company in San Francisco. John is working in the main office while Harold is now traveling for the firm.

Ray Arata, '28, is the proud father of a baby girl. This is the Arata's second child, the first being a son, Ray, Jr.

Ray Desimone, '38, writes to tell us that he is permanently located in Oakland, that he is married and attending the University of California where he expects to receive his Secondary Teachers' Certificate in December. Ray is also employed part-time by the Oakland Recreation Department.

Dr. James McGinnis, '23, and his wife are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son.

Joe Tierney, '31, chief of the Department of Miscellaneous Tax in the Internal Revenue Department in San Francisco has left for a vacation in the South but will return in time for Homecoming Day.

Tom Fanning, '31, is actively engaged in the practice of law in San Francisco.

Jack Show, '32, is also located in the same city. Jack is one of the few Chinese lawyers in the State.

Harry Holland, '31, and Bill Hays, '31, both lawyers, are employed in the Claims Adjustment Division of the Traveler's Insurance Co.

Bill Giovanoni, '31, is in the produce business in San Francisco with his father.

Louis Figeac, '31, former Gael guard, is employed by Uncle Sam with the Farm Security Administration.

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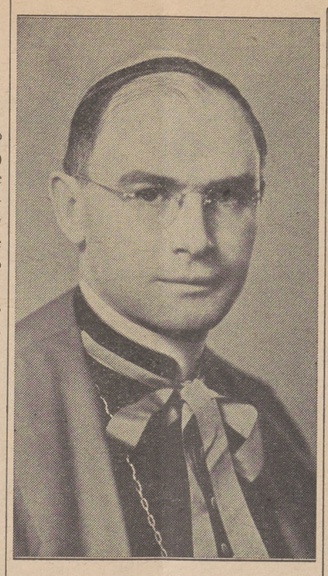

Graduation Speaker

Most Reverend Bishop Thomas K. Gorman, of Reno, who will deliver the Commencement address at the May graduation exercises. Bishop Gorman will also receive an honorary LL.D.—Courtesy, The Monitor.

Bishop Gorman Gets LL.D. Degree

Noted Speaker to Deliver Address At Commencement

EDITOR'S NOTE: *This is the first of a series of biographical accounts on persons who will be awarded honorary degrees by the College at the May commencement exercises. Bishop Gorman will be followed by sketches of Right Reverend Monsignor Francis McElroy, and Archibald Cloud, who are to be awarded honorary doctor of laws degrees, and by Mrs. Powers Symington, who will be presented May 14 with the Moraga Crest.*

New churches in place of old ones; chapels where none existed before, and better living conditions for the priests in general throughout the state.

For these and other accomplishments in building a Reno diocese comparable to others in the Western hemisphere, the Most Reverend Thomas K. Gorman, Bishop of Reno, will be honored Sunday, May 14, at Commencement Exercises of Saint Mary's College with an honorary doctor of laws degree, awarded by Brother Albert, President of the College.

Besides his accomplishments as a leading member of the clergy in the Nevada and California regions, Bishop Gorman's capabilities as an orator of note have likewise been recognized. He will deliver the Commencement address here at the graduating exercises.

The Honorary LL.D. will be awarded, according to Brother Albert, in recognition of Catholic strides taken in Nevada under Bishop Gorman since hsi formal installation August 19, 1931.

Especially cited are the Bishop's efforts in reorganizing and instituting fraternal and clerical organizations in his region.

On his arrival at Reno the Bishop found thirteen priests and today has twenty-eight working in the Diocese. Of this number he personally ordained three; the last of the three being the first native son of Nevada ever to be ordained to work in this state. He has promoted vocations to the priesthood with considerable success, now having students in several seminaries.

He has furthered the cause of higher education by sending priests and students to the Catholic University of America in Washington, the North American College in Rome, and the University of Louvain.

In the line of diocesan organization the Bishop first introduced the Register as the diocesan paper and has done all in his power to place this in as many hands as possible. He next saw to the establishment of a complete system of summer vacation schools, obtaining the services of the Dominican sisters of San Rafael and many seminarians from St. Patrick's to conduct these schools. By means of these schools about 3500 children now receive religious instruction each summer. Early in his episcopate the Bishop formed the diocesan Council of Catholic Women and by their help has increased the number of parish societies throughout the state and likewise the parish activity in many places.

To insure a more consistent type of religious instruction the Bishop has introduced to this Diocese three different communities of Sisters. The Holy Family Sisters of San Francisco form one community and have their convent in Las Vegas, Nevada. The Missionary Catechists of Victoryknoll, Indiana, have four Catechists working in Humboldt County in this state. The third community to consist of sisters belonging to the Institute of the Blessed Virgin Mary is in the process of formation at Ely, Nevada.

In the very near future he has arranged for the construction of the first community mausoleum to be erected in the State of Nevada.

In regards to spiritual matters the Bishop has been untiring in his efforts to provide Sunday Mass in as many places as possible, and to encourage priests and people in this regard he has made numberless trips around the state administering Confirmation, visiting the vacation schools and doing whatever he could to promote a greater spiritual life in the state.

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Former Prexy Will Represent College At Georgetown

When Georgetown University holds a three day celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of its foundation, Saint Mary's College will be represented in the person of Jack Tolan, former president of the ASSMC.

Tolan is in Washington acting as secretary to his father, U. S. Representative John H. Tolan, at may remain at the national capital throughout the course of the entire yea..

He expressed a deep appreciation in being nominated as representative of Saint Mary's in a letter to Brother Albert.

HIGHLIGHTS of SCIENCE

By Raymond Moffitt

Suicide!! Every day out of the year that one word finds its way into the big black headlines of our dailies. The reasons for the suicides are surprisingly specific. It is found that the person is usually broke, doesn't want to go to war, has family trouble, or poor health or a defective member of his body prevents him from entering certain activities. The self-murderer might use 99 per cent proof with gas, carbon monoxide or a sawed-off shot gun.

These three methods are not at all perfect. However, there is one sure, expenseless method, that of worry. When a person worries he releases epinephrine from the adrenal glands. This substance, when discharged in large amounts, depresses the physiological system instead of stimulating it. This produced a marked change in the body, both physically and mentally. The stomach stops working, causing the food to spoil, thus producing poison which spreads throughout the body.

Keeping the mind on pleasant things is one of the most effective cure for worry. Think about a glorious trip to Europe, or a visit expected from someone you have not seen for a long time. Above all, think how fortunate you really are. If you worry about the shape or length of your nose, think of the person whose nose has been eaten away by a cancerous "germ." Instead of worrying about not having a new pair of shoes to wear to the Senior ball, think of the person who has no feet on which even to place an old pair of shoes. If everything were as we would like to have it be, consider what a provoking and hell-upon-earth world this would be.

The problem has been presented, and a most effective cure has been offered. If you still insist on throwing the gift of life right back into the face of the one who gave it to you, don't waste like the New Dealers; be conservative; use the sure-fire method, worrycide.

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To Speak Here

Al Santoro, veteran sports editor of the Oakland Post-Enquirer, who will be featured as one of the principal speakers at the Press Convention April 29.—Courtesy, Oakland Post-Enquirer.

Irish Picnic Gives Appearance of League of Nations

A "League of Nations" gathering attended the Erie Oge annual picnic held at Tilden Park, Berkeley, last Saturday. The Irish also participated. Thirty-five students were entertained with Irish songs, and refreshments were served. After lunch they played baseball and also a game of volleyball with some students from the University of California, nad of course the Irish Society won easily. Joe Hurley, president of the club, said, "Everyone who attended the affair had a good time and the other campus organizations ought to follow suit."

The final meeting of this semester will be held next week and officers will be elected for next year.

Economics Society Trip Fizzles

Lack of interest has forced the Economics Society to cancel the three remaining trips on its schedule.

President Al Brill complained that "many of the members do not attend the meetings; those who do attend are not certain of what activities they want to do; and finally not all the members even attend the trips."

Juniors Must Liquidate Debt

Senior Activities Depend on Success Of Class Raffle

The Junior Class was smitten with another stroke of ill-fortune early this week, when Brother Patrick, Dean of Resident Students, informed August Gaspar, the president of the class, that if the raffle which the class of '40 planned to hold did not begin to perk and show signs of life that the Juniors were going to be definitely in the most embarrasing situation that any class in the school has ever occupied.

If the class does not liquidate their debt which was incurred by the Junior Prom held last February, there will positively be no activity in their Senior year. No activity includes loss of the Senior Tradition—Senior Ball, Senior Picnic and Senior Week. In short, the present Junior class may return in August and find itself deprived of holding even a dance in Madigan Gymnasium.

Gaspar, president of the class, is once again trying to balance the books and he admits that it is not a task which one man, or a few men can do. He has informed the members of the class that the success of the raffle depends upon each of the members of the groups selling at least two books of chance on the raffle.

"As usual," said Gaspar, "Some of the fellows have gone out and done more than their share to try and pull us out of the red; but they are few—very few. It's out of my hands now, if the deadheads in the class want to sit down and let things slide they'll just have to take the consequences next year."

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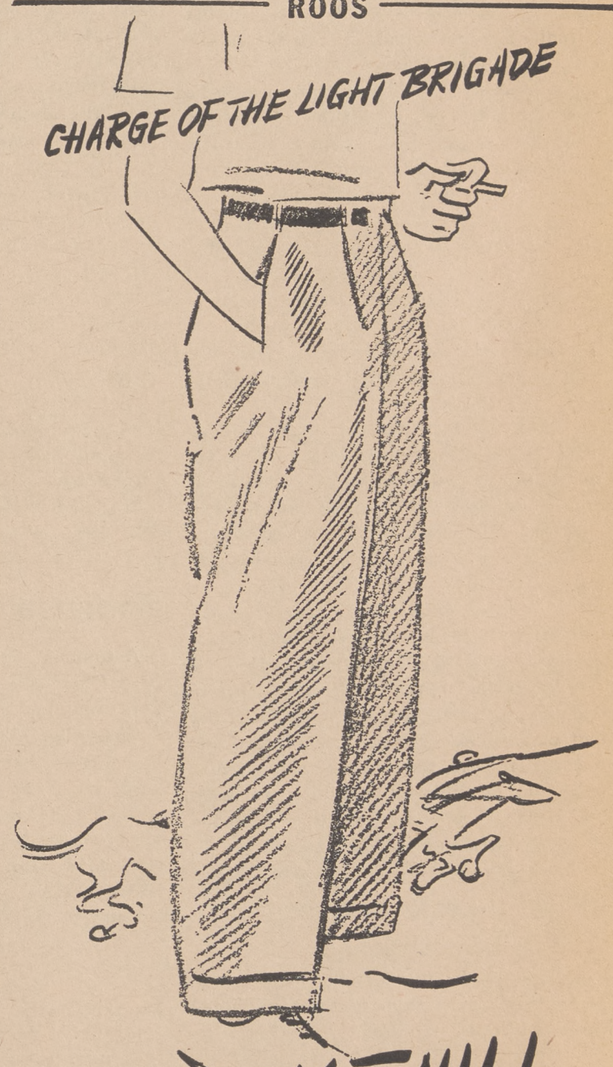

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Hitler's Conquest Plans Show Weaknesses

Hitler believes that sometime in the very near future he will embark upon the conquest of the United States, according to recent headlines. The idea sounds more like war-mongering than anything else; but if the statement attributed to him is correct, then the German Reich has made another of its diplomatic faux pas even greater than the notorious Zimmerman note which promised to Mexico the state of Texas if she would attack the United States during the World War. Evidently Herr Hitler believes that the American people would sit idly by and watch him destroy first the democracies of Europe, such as they are, and then the United States.

He overlooks the fact that the United States was one of the decisive factors in the last war. That she will keep out of the next war is the hope of every sensible citizen within her boundaries, but that she will stand by and watch a madman prepare to rule Europe is unthinkable. If Britain, France, and the other European nations cannot stop Hitler, then inevitably the United States must do it. With the threat of invading her shores, Hitler has virtually assured Britain and France of the aid of the United States.

Der Fuerher is sadly misinformed if he does not know that the one thing which every American man will fight for unquestioningly is the freedom of the United States from foreign domination. Apparently, too, he discounts the ability of the American soldier as a fighting man; so much the worse for him. It was well proven during the last war, and while no American desires war, the people of the United States have shown conclusively that when it is necessary they can and will fight to protect those things which they hold dear.

Considered from another angle, Hitler's plan has two promnient weaknesses. He counts upon Japan attacking the Pacific coast, but by the time the Japanese have finished with China they will be in no condition to attack anyone. They will be too busy subduing the Chinese to be of any assistance to Hitler. The second weakness arises from his belief that Germany will be in a condition to start war with the United States. Does he actually believe that he can defeat Britain and France without a severe struggle? Hitler had better adopt a more friendly attitude towards Holland, for unless someone assassinates him, he will soon be talking over what might have been with ex-Kaiser Wilhelm, the other German would-be Alexander.

Class Representatives Are Important Too

Student body nominations being completed yesterday, without a doubt individual classes will open the polls for election of respective leaders. There is a tendancy at this time to pay too great attention to the student body elections and little or none to the class elections.

While it would be ridiculous to assert that this procedure should be reversed, nevertheless it should be modified to a certain extent. Unless the proposed veto amendment to the constitution is passed, the next president will not play a dominant part in the management of campus affairs. Instead, the power will lie with the class representatives, twelve of them, and upon them will be placed the burden of guiding the destinies of the ASSMC.

And so, logically, a great deal of care should be taken to insure that clear thinking, intelligent representatives be elected to the Executive Council. It is an established fact that the present council set-up has not been wholly satisfactory. The remedy lies with the electorate in placing serious minded men into office.

Extensive Program Will Bring Term to Close

As though to compensate for a semester of comparative inactivity, the ensuing four weeks of this term present to the students a heavy program of activity; a program so extensive as to make some a bit dizzy in contemplating the coming events.

Started off this morning with the Debate Congress being held simultaneously with Open House, tomorrow will feature Saint Mary's College Day at the World's Fair. With barely time to catch one's breath, friends and students of the college will move on to the mainland for the Senior Ball. Picking up again Sunday morning, by rail and highway droves of alumni will convene here for the 71st annual Homecoming Day. On the 24th will follow President's Day, and archidiocesan clergy will visit the campus on the 25th for the second annual Padre Day. One Saturday removed from tomorrow will bring to this valley numerous high school students for the Press Convention—a convention which promises to be one of the best ever witnessed here. To the Saint Mary's club will go the distinction of closing spring football practice when members stage Big Brother Day ,Sunday, April 30. After a short intermission, seniors will take upon their shoulders the task of conducting a successful senior week to culminate ultimately with Commencement exercises May 14.

Thus will fittingly be brought to a close the spring term of 1939. And this sudden burst of activity bodes a renewed interest in campus affairs to be inaugurated with the autumn semester. Those who may have complained lightly of a lethargic spirit here may rejoice in the numerous approaching events, and, most important, participate in these events.

Active Alumni Reflect Spirit of Comradeship

Few educational institutions can boast of an Alumni body as active continuously over a period of many years, as that body which will return to the Campus Sunday for the 71st Homecoming.

Except for a short period brought about by the changes incident to the removal of Saint Mary's College from the Mission Road to the Brickpile site in Oakland in 1887, the Alumni Association has constantly and repeatedly aided the college and its students. In that year 1887, the alumni were called together by Brother Thomas to reorganize the association. And that meeting, a Homecoming it might be called, found 50 graduates out of 150 alive renewing acquaintances and reminiscing on the "gold old days," just as Sunday will find many hundreds more greeting with hearty handshakes, and perhaps a bit boisterous back-slapping, those classmates whom they have seen little or nothing of for a number of years.

At present the Saint Mary's Alumni Association is recognized as one of the most powerful in this region. This is without a doubt so because of the spirit of comradeship fostered during their undergraduate days, and which will be exemplified on Homecoming Day.

Moraga Musings

A common sight these Saturday nights is to see Chuck Sill sauntering from the campus in his soup and fish.

Champ hitch-hikers of the year are yearlings Desmond and Boyle. They departed last week via thumb for Los Angeles intent on watching the Phoenix. It took them 20 hours to get there, they remained in the southern city three hours, and consumed 20 more hours on the road coming home.

Over at the swimming pool sophomore Gallardo was heard to exclaim: Watch me do a half-nelson."

Hooz Goofy?

Feature of the week was a private debate in the lounge featuring Nebraska McManus and William Egan. Mac rassled the rostrum as he attempted to convince Egan that the unicameral system of legislature, as exemplified in Corny Nebraska, was better than California's micameral system. Nobody listened but the two principals.

The competition was select, just two in the Cottle contest, but the audience heard two of the finest speeches offered here in recent years.

Seven bottles of beer apiece, so they claimed, were gulped by Taylor and Connolly at the YMI anniversary. And neither was phased.

By Brother Leo

Outlooks and Insights

The man who cannot distinguish blue from green or the man who can detect no difference between the odor of eau de cologne and that emanating from the harmless, necessary civet, is generally regarded with kindly sympathy by his fellows. He is looked upon as limited, in a sense deformed; certainly, as abnormal. But should he become self-assertive concerning colors or odors, should he insist that his view is the only view and that all who prate of blue and green or of sweet odors and evil smells are hopelessly prejudiced and the slaves of a silly tradition, very likely something would happen to him. At any rate, nobody in sound mind would take him seriously.

Haves and Have Nots

Such a man is the fool who says in his heart there is no God. Such a man who denies the existence of religious experience, who pooh-poohs the criteria of certitude in the supernatural. He stands apart,—presuming that he is sincere,—from the experience of his fellow men in all ages of the world. He rejects as untenable beliefs for which thousands of men have laid down their lives and by which millions of men have guided their conduct. He sees nothing in it. Obviously the man is spiritually color blind.

We ought to have Christian compassion on the victim of color-blindness. But when the unfortunate man insists on telling the rest of us that we are all the slaves of passion and prejudice, that he only is in the right, that his negative spiritual sense—manifestly abnormal—is the one and ultimate guide to truth, we are justified in employing stringest measures to put him in his place.

Any theory of life that has no place for God in it is an abnormal theory of life. And that is why we Catholics—who are not spiritually color blind—stand opposed to Godless education, why we fight Communism tooth and nail.

The Glamor of Defeat

"They went forth to battle, but they always fell," is the burden of a stirring poem by the Irish-American, Seumas O'Sheel, and the words are quoted from an immemorial record of Irish history. The Gaels throughout the centuries have had their share and more of victory in varied fields, but there seems to be something in their temperament which makes them, when defeat darkens the sky, accept almost with gladness the chill and desolation of adverse circumstances. Your Irishman on losing the game rarely protests that he wasn't beaten fairly; neither is he prone to seek comfort in the prosaic — and ungrammatical — commentary, "The best team won." He probably doesn't believe the winner is the "best" team, but feels strengthened and purified even by defeat.

Some of this racial psychology, though by no means all of it, is captured by Dorothy Canfield in her recent novel, "Seasoned Timber." One of her characters "understood the poetic Celtic relish in frustration":

"And as his physical vitality was lowered, he not only understood but deeply felt the twilight Celtic pleasure in defeat. He was filled with an emotional nostalgia for the end of struggle that would come with failure. To lose was not only finer, more poetic, more glamorous than to win, it also involved infinitely less effort, since you could fling down your broken sword with honor, and stand with emptied hands, burdened by no implied obligation to take up a tiresome spade and go to work. To have risked your all in a good cause—and lost your all—that was tragedy, yes, but it was austere, dignified, restful, for it put you in a position where the world had no right to expect more effort from you."

Generalizations have their dangers here and we are not warranted in laying too much to hereditary traits; yet it seems to be true that for the most part when reverses come to him, as reverses come to all men at times, the Gael can accept it, not philosophically, but with an inner glow of something like gladness. Dorothy Canfield goes a bit astray, I think, when she implies that the glamor comes from the realization that no more effort is needed. That aspect of the matter is alien to the Celtic temperament. Rather the reluctant satisfaction proceeds from an undefined conviction that honorable defeat has a nobility of its own, particularly when the beaten man sees both the comparative triviality of the conflict and some vague and glorious possibility beyond the battlefield. Seumas O'Sheel says it all:

"They knew not fear that to the foeman yields,
They were not weak, as one who vainly wields
A futile weapon . . .
It was a secret music that they heard,
A sad sweet plea for pity and for peace . . .
Ah, they by some strange troubling doubt were stirred,
And died for hearing what no foreman heard . . .
Over the battle-clamor came a spell
Of troubling music, and they fought not well . . .
Yet they will scatter the red hordes of Hell,
Who went to battle forth and always fell."

The Bystander

By Thomas Heidenreich

We have never considered ourself as a humanitarian, but we have never found the pain of others amusing, for that matter. Having been led to believe that man is a rational creature, we had our faith rudely attacked the other evening. It was at the fair, and we were wandering along the Gayway when we heard the sound of laughter. It has been one of our pet theories that only rational beings have a sense of humor, and believing ourself to be rational, we rambled over to join in the merriment.

There were three cars, electrically propelled, and each was occupied by a monkey strapped into position so that he couldn't escape from the whirling car. The object of the game was to pick the square on which the careering car would eventually stop. People placed money on the numbers, and there was positively a winner each and every time. We watched carefully when the machines were started again. Surely there must be something funny foi everyone had been laughing. The monkeys waved their arms and twisted their bodies and grimaced with fear. The crowd laughed at the antics of the poor dumb animals, and thereby stamped themselves as brutish.

Everyone except a few sadistic swine detest those who tie a tin can on a dog's tail; it is considered cruel, and it is. It is considered contemptible, and it is. What, then, is the deliberate torturing of these monkeys? Is there anything humorous about driving dumb animals into a frenzy of fear? We don't think so. Of all the low, miserable, degrading forms of entertainment of which we know, this stands out. Only someone with a perverted sense of humor could laugh at such cruelty.

The Roman gladiatorial fights were branded barbaric, yet, there the men had some slight chance; they weren't strapped helplessly into a mechanical device and then slowly tortured. Undoubtedly the Romans were cruel when they found enjoyment in such a sport. What, then, are so-called civilized people when they find something amusing in the torture of animals who cannot even understand what is happening to them? If it were of some scientific value, something which might advance man's knowledge of medicine, we could condone it; as it is, we can only consider it as sadism, and the people whom it amuses as heartless brutes, infinitely lower than the animals at which they laugh.

Collegiana

By Bill Egan

Quotable Quote . . .

From the *Gonzaga Bulldog* comes a statement of Dr. S. C. Dobbs, who, while speaking at Emory University, outlined the real, nonmaterial foundation on which all great institutions of higher learning are constructed. "No worthwhile university can be created overnight, and just money and buildings never has, or never will be able to qualify as a real university. Men, time, money and a great love are the prerequisites of any outstanding educational institution, and the last named, love, is as essential as men and money."

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Second Run . . .

Little Sandy: "Hey pop, let's go to the Centennial Pageant. It's only a dollar."

Sandy: "Next time, laddie, next time."

—*Cal Pelican.*

Campus Comment

EDITOR:

"Bettencourt, in one of his columns, said that 'California is the only institution that doesn't call the Saint Mary's baseball team by its traditional name of Phoenix'," said Critic '42 in this space last week. Let me quote from Bettencourt's column of March 3, 1939, to which Critic '42 refers so erroneously:

"The Daily Californian is one of the few papers that refers to the local baseballers by their traditional title, the Phoenix."

It seems that Critic '42 would do away with the name of Phoenix, the cognomen applied to Saint Mary's famed baseball teams by the beloved Brother Agnon. Maybe "modern and streamlined" lower-division men would like to do away with "Phoenix," but upper-classmen and old-timers will fight to the end to keep "Phoenix" in print. The word "Phoenix," first used in the 1800's, is a tradition with all Saint Mary's men. "Gaels" refers to all Saint Mary's teams; "Phoenix" has only one meaning—the Moraga baseball team.

J. C. '39.

Editor:

Exhibition dancing is for the stage! I advise the committee handling the Senior Ball to dim the lights on the dance floor. At the Junior Prom the lights were so bright each couple felt as if it were giving an exhibition for other dancers and for persons sitting.

BALLERINO JYM '41.